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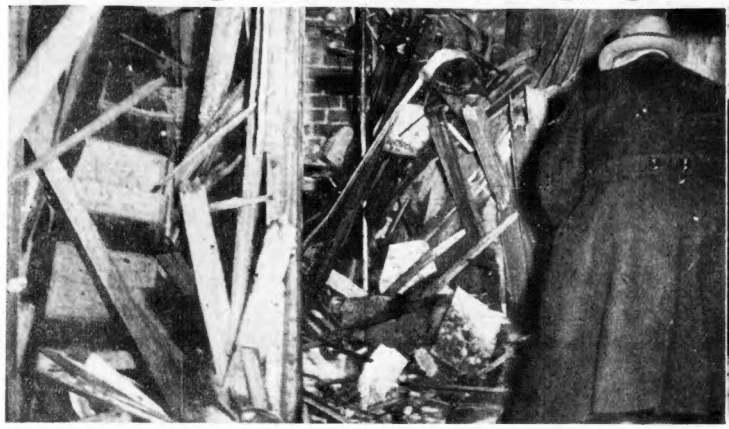

Police hope to find clues in wreckage left by Lynn theater blast.

Tremont Theater debris gives evidence of blast's terrific force.

Today

No, No Cash Money Murder, Private, Political She Found Toothmarks Woman, How Strange You Are

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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According to solemn agreement, made between "gallant allies," which the British called themselves and us, the United States should receive from Great Britain next Saturday the sum of *three hundred and sixty million dollars.* Another considerable sum on account of "war debts of honor" is due from France. Will these amounts be paid to maintain, spotless, the honor of nations that borrowed, in their troubles?

They will not be paid, nothing will be paid. Three hundred and sixty millions of dollars are more important than "spotless honor."

To the announcement that she would pay nothing, Great Britain frankly adds that "it would be useless, and therefore unwise," even to attempt negotiations.

Little Finland, on the contrary, announces her intention to pay the Saturday instalment. Napoleon called England "a nation of shopkeepers," which annoyed the English, and was inaccurate. Shopkeepers make it a habit to pay their debts in order to keep their credit.

On both sides of the Atlantic

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M'CORMACK OUT FOR LEADER

By Associated Press

Washington, Dec. 12—Representative McCormack (D.-Mass.) formally announced today his candidacy for Democratic floor leader of the House.

An hour later Representative John E. Rankin of Mississippi withdrew from the race for speakership of the House and announced his candidacy for the floor leadership.

This entrenched Representative Joseph W. Byrns of Tennessee in the lead for the speakership.

The Democrats will meet in caucus on January 2 to select speaker and floor leader to be elected the following day.

RACE RESULTS AT CHARLES TOWN

First—Schley B. 114 (Palumbo) 5.40, 2.40, 2.40; Mr. Boss 110 (Carney) 2.80, 2.60; Radial 111 (Tryon) 7.20. Off 1:48. Also ran—Glynhurst, Sand Martin, Red Riot, Sambo G., Wandering Jim.

Second—Star Queen 108 (G. Horn) 10.40, 4.20, 2.60; Cliftons Agnes 107 (Palumbo) 50.60, 6.40; Bright Pattern 106 (Booker) 2.60. Off 2:15½. Also ran—Scotty Don, Donny Johnny, Allens, The Bourbonian, Conventional.

Third—Stool Pigeon 110 (Palumbo) 7.80, 4.40, 3.60; Boogie Man 110 (F. Weir) 5.80, 3.60; Edyth M. (W. Snyder) 3.40. Off 2:41. Also ran—In Clover, Lampoon, Edie, Paddock, Star Magic.

WEATHER

BOSTON AND VICINITY

Fair and warmer; Thursday increasing cloudiness and warmer, with temperature in lower 30's; moderate to fresh west to southwest winds.

High tides 3:20 a. m.; 3:38 p. m. Sun rises at 7:04; sets at 4:12.

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ELY DECLARES WAR ON TERRORISTS

FIRE SWEEPS DAVIS SQUARE THEATER

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Fire swept E. M. Loew's Davis Square Theater in Day street, Somerville, today, an hour before it was scheduled to open.

Three alarms were sounded, calling help from Cambridge and Arlington. Damage was estimated at $10,000.

Deputy Fire Chief Horace Hutchins, Jr., declared that defective wiring, resulting in a short circuit over the motion picture projection booth, caused the flames.

Because the theater is owned by the same interests controlling those bombed at Lynn and Pawtucket earlier in the day, it was at first suspected the fire might have been incendiary.

Hutchins said the blaze was definitely of accidental origin and that a deliberate crossing of the wires could only have been accomplished by boring a hole in the roof or ceiling. There was no such hole.

The flames were burning for about an hour and a half before they were discovered. They ate along a section of the balcony and burst through the roof.

Firemen felt some alarm over the proximity of a garage and a photographic supply house containing highly inflammable materials but the flames were confined to the motion picture house after a stubborn half-hour fight.

Traffic in the congested Davis Square business district was tied up for an hour.

Dionne Doctor Takes First Plane Ride

Washington, Dec. 12—Dr. Allan Roy Dafoe, the jolly physician who brought the Dionne quintuplets into the world, came down smiling and chuckling from his first airplane flight today at Washington airport.

He was at once the center of a crowd of welcomers and questioners, all still agog over the simultaneous birth of five babies six months ago in Canada.

YULE MAIL TO HIT NEW HIGH

Christmas mail is running three and four times greater this year than the normal flow of business, Postmaster William E. Hurley late today said the Yuletide business would be 30 or more per cent greater than any other time in the long history of the Boston postoffice.

Expectations are that the 60,000,000 letters and packages which comprise last Christmas' record-breaking total, will be surpassed this season.

FingerGone But Not His Record

What's a finger where a school attendance record is concerned?

That, today, was literally the attitude of 12-year-old Walter Gerutowski, of Light street, Lynn, a pupil in the Breed Junior High School there.

The third finger of his left hand was almost severed by a "jointer" machine in the manual training class room. At the hospital the digit was amputated.

The operation completed, Walter insisted on returning to school. He wanted no absence to mar his record.

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ROOSEVELT IN DRIVE ON WAR PROFITEERS

By Associated Press

Washington, Dec. 12—Enactment of legislation to take the profit out of war is planned for this session of Congress by President Roosevelt.

He made known today at his semi-weekly press conference that he had called a meeting for this afternoon to discuss a program with Bernard Baruch, World War chairman of the War Industries Board; General Hugh S. Johnson former NRA administrator and Baruch's war time assistant, and high government officials.

MacARTHUR TO STAY

At the same time, the President directed that General Douglas MacArthur be reappointed temporarily as army chief of staff to aid in formulating the legislation.

President Roosevelt emphasized he hoped a war never would come again and that he was taking up the question now because he said there was no war cloud on the horizon.

In addition to the financial side, Mr. Roosevelt wants to give deeper consideration to the personnel phase and the economic angles.

He believes that as a result of the hurried organization of the government for the World War, maladjustments resulted which had a deep bearing on American life in the post-war period.

For instance, Mr. Roosevelt said there were overproduction, enormous personal profits and a complete lack of co-ordination in the economic system.

DEMAND FOR BONUS

He called to attention that boys who fought in the trenches got $1 a day, while boys who worked in munitions factories received $8 and $10 a day.

Thus the demand for the bonus arose, he said. Others who will meet with the President include Secretaries Hull, Morgenthau, Dern, Swanson, Perkins and Wallace, Assistant Secretary Roosevelt of the navy, General MacArthur, Joseph B. Eastman, railway co-ordinator, and George Peek, foreign trade advisor.

U. S. Cadet Killed in Airplane Crash

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 12 (AP)—Cadet Charles Fridge, 24, was killed by the crash of a Kelly Field bomber when a motor died 18 miles northeast of Boerne today.

Cadet Anthony C. Eubanks, his companion on a cross-country flight from San Antonio to Dallas, leaped to safety by parachute.

It's Time to Call Halt, Governor Asserts

Governor Ely issued the following statement on the bomb outrages:

"The facts seem conclusive that the Tremont and Majestic Theaters in Boston, and the Capitol Theaters in Lynn and Pawtucket suffered damages at approximately the same time early this morning. Such a situation cannot be a coincidence. These explosions must have been planned. It is not particularly important at the present moment to determine a motive. Whatever it was, the attempts to destroy those theaters are acts of criminal and willful violence which can be attributed to no other reasoning than that attempts were made in some instances, successfully, to accomplish their own ends by unlawful means.

GOV. JOSEPH B. ELY

"Men who would so conduct themselves are not entitled to be recognized in any sense of the word as American citizens. They are clearly antagonistic to the principles of American government, seeking by striking terror to the hearts of those who manage theaters, and the general public, to accomplish the ends which they believe cannot be accomplished by any legal process.

"This is the sort of thing which grows out of too much countenance by the agencies of government in ultra-radical ideas, in which these same agencies do not believe. In our endeavor to rout out of our economic and industrial life evils that have grown into it, certain individuals in this country, apparently unaware of the consequences of their utterances, open the door to the most radical designs against American institutions.

"It is time to call a halt. I call upon all the law enforcing agencies of this state to scour this Commonwealth for the apprehension of the terrorists who seek to destroy, through fear, the sane processes of government.

"I call upon the public as they value their institutions, their lives, their happiness, to report to local authorities any information which may lead to the arrest of these enemies of society.

"No reward is offered. If the responsibility of American citizenship is not sufficient to cause persons having information valuable to the police in unraveling these crimes to report that information, then it is useless to expect it by the payment of money."

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Plane Shot Down

La Paz, Bolivia, Dec. 12 (AP)—The Ministry of War announced today that a Paraguayan plane had been shot down in flames by Bolivian fliers after a 15-minute fight at Capirenda.

THEATER BOMBINGS LAID TO REDS

Bombers spread terror in New England today by blowing up four theaters almost simultaneously—the Majestic and Tremont in Boston and the Capitol theaters in Lynn and Pawtucket, R. I.

Governor Ely, in a resultant proclamation, declared a state of war on terrorists:

"It is time to call a halt. I call upon all law enforcement agencies to scour this Commonwealth for the terrorists who seek to destroy, through fear, the sane processes of government."

Police ascribed the outrages to labor troubles or Communists, perhaps the two combined in a widespread plot of destruction.

Heavy damage resulted to the Tremont and Majestic, famous Tremont street playhouses, and to movie houses made bomb targets at the same time in Lynn and Pawtucket.

Four persons were slightly injured by the Boston explosions, which rocked the downtown section. Had there been audiences in the theaters at the time, an appalling loss of life must have resulted.

Five other Boston theaters controlled by the same interests were placed under police guard. They are the Columbia and the Gaiety on Washington street; the National on Tremont street near Arlington Square; the Ideal on Dudley street, Roxbury, and the Dorchester on Park street, Dorchester.

A telephone warning to police that the Hotel Bradford was marked for bombing resulted in a police guard being posted in the lobby but the management later asked its withdrawal, stating there was no reason to expect trouble.

Police guards were posted at theaters in various other sections of New England.

Six hours after the bombings police raided a house in Gold street, South Boston, arrested a 62-year-old woman and her son as suspects and seized 1500 revolver cartridges of various calibre. It was thought cartridges might have been emptied of their powder to construct bombs.

Communist literature and a picture of Lenin were found in the house. The suspects were taken to headquarters.

Another trail led Detectives Benjamin Goodman and William Gulston of the "Red" squad to Providence.

Police expressed the opinion that dynamite, nitroglycerine or gunpowder was the explosive agency used in the bombs.

At the Majestic they found a

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Taxi Man Tells Eye-Witness Tale of Blast

Here is an eye-witness story of the bombing of the Tremont Theater, as given to the Boston Evening American by Edward Latterner, 26, of 25 East End avenue. Mr. Latterner is a cab driver.

By EDWARD LATTERNER

"I was looking directly at the Tremont Theater when the explosion occurred.

"I was parked almost across the street in my cab, and was watching for possible customers. A man, who had been standing at the entrance to the theater caught my eye.

"He looked undecided as to what he was going to do, looking intently first one way, and then another, on Tremont street. He seemed a likely prospect for a fare, so I kept my eye on him.

"While I was watching him, he

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Balances and Receipts

Washington, Dec. 12—Today's treasury balance, $1,353,172,478; U. S. customs receipts, $10,771,653.

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LABOR OPENS UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE LAW DRIVE

CONNERY PUSHES BATTLE FOR 30-HOUR WEEK

By Associated Press

Washington, Dec. 12—Union labor's legislative drive for 1935 opened today with a proposal by William Green that unemployment insurance be financed wholly by a 5 per cent tax on payrolls.

Opposing any direct levy on workers, the president of the American Federation of Labor said they would pay most of the cost anyway. Employers add their cost to prices and employes buy 85 per cent of all goods, he said. If workers shared the direct cost of insurance, he added, they would be paying twice.

The labor chief made his proposals in a message to all A. F. of L. unions.

Congressional supporters of another measure that has A. F. of L. backing—the 30-hour week—prepared to attempt to pass it quickly in the next Congress, though high officials in the Roosevelt administration have shown signs of opposition.

Chairman William P. Connery (D., Mass.), of the House labor committee has reported to colleagues that sentiment for the measure as a means of reducing unemployment is growing. Backing Connery is Senator Black (D., Ala.), co-author of the measure which was side-tracked in 1933.

Advocates, Connery said, are interested in giving "employers their fair due, while at the same time giving to workers a fair share of the products of their labor in the form of decent living conditions."

Meantime agitation for some form of government protection against the vicissitudes of old age gained momentum within and outside the administration today.

New indications that old age pensions would be debated by the next Congress whether President Roosevelt recommends it or not, were seen.

Representative Keller said that popular demand for a national old age pension law "is so widespread and so intense that there seems little room to doubt the passage of such a law."

He announced he would offer a bill under which monthly pensions of $30 would be paid jointly by the states and the federal government to eligible persons 65 years of age and over.

16 RESCUED ON CRIPPLED BOAT

After a 15-hour fight against mountainous seas and a 30-mile gale, Captain Thor Magnusson and crew of 15 of the steam trawler Winthrop were rescued in a state of exhaustion by coast guards today 150 miles off Boston Lightship.

Last night, their engines crippled by the cold on Georges Bank, Captain Magnusson sent out an SOS. The Coast Guard cutter Cayuga left the Navy Yard under forced draft and raced to her assistance.

Meanwhile, mountainous seas swept the small craft from bow to stern. As dawn was breaking this morning, the cutter arrived and after a terrific fight to get a line aboard, took the craft in tow.

Trawler Adrift

The trawler Winthrop, owned by R. O'Brien & Co. of Boston encountered engine trouble while 150 miles southeast of Boston light. A coast guard patrol boat went to her aid in response to calls for assistance.

'No Fooling' With This Theater Fire

CAPT. F. R. ROMETTE JOHN O'CONNELL

The Somerville fire department takes no chances with incipient blazes in this Davis square section. Here are captain F. R. Bennett, and Engineman John O'Connell, both members of Engine four, on the roof of E. M. Lowe's Davis Square theater on Day street, Somerville, chopping a ruthless way to the possible source of flames which broke out in the building today. Police do not believe the fire had any connection with today's bombings of playhouses under allied management. (Picture by Boston Evening American Staff Photographer.)

MAN SAYS WIFE TOLD OF LOVE FOR ANOTHER

William C. Peters, of Park Drive, Back Bay, testified in divorce court today that while he was in a hospital, crippled by arthritis, his attractive young wife and a man he identified as "F. R." told him of their mutual love.

In Suffolk probate court, on grounds of alleged cruelty and desertion, Peters is suing Mrs. Rena E. Peters, now of Arlington street. She is contesting the suit and denies the allegation.

They were married in 1922. Peters earned $8000 a year as a railway supply house vice-president before his illness.

He told Judge Frederick J. Dillon that in 1928, after returning from Florida with his wife, he entered a hospital for incurables. He said:

"Mrs. Peters came to see me with a man named F. R., and the man said, 'Bill, I'm in love with Rena.' I asked Rena what he was talking about, and she said that it was true.

"She said, 'Well, you're nearly all through, and this looks like an opportunity for me.' She said she would like to slap me because I wouldn't agree to letting her go."

In 1930, Peters said, he visited his wife at an apartment and that a man sat with his arms around her while he faced them:

"After he left I remonstrated with her and she told me she was going to do just as she wished. 'I'm so disgusted with you that I could choke you,' she said to me."

Although they occupied the same premises in Boston and Centerville following the hospital incident in 1928, they did not live as man and wife, Peters said.

Cold Spell on Way Out After New Record

The mercury started a long-delayed upward climb today, after it had set one more record at 1 a. m., when the official reading showed six degrees above zero in Boston, making it the coldest December 12 since the weather bureau was founded in 1872.

After that hour figures were well above those of the past few days and the weather man said the back of the cold spell was broken.

Meanwhile, Miami, Fla., was reporting a record low of 30, forcing closing of the schools there. Snow flurries were reported at Nantucket and at Northfield, Vt.

Some low temperatures early this morning around Boston were Lincoln, zero; Bedford, zero; Lexington, 2 below; Concord, 2 below; Arlington, 3 below.

Cold? Heat Fells Paraguay Troops

Buenos Aires, Dec. 12—While the United States shivered in a bitter cold wave, South American countries were experiencing their first taste today of this summer's intense heat.

Paraguayan and Bolivian troops in the Chaco boreal suffered acutely. The Bolivian defense ministry announced that 160 Paraguayan soldiers in one regiment collapsed from sunstroke.

Florida Cold Hits Record Low of 30

Miami, Fla., Dec. 12—The Miami weather bureau reported an all-time December low here at 7:15 a. m. today with a reading of 30.4.

Richard W. Gray, federal meteorologist, said the lowest previously recorded temperature for December, since opening of the bureau in 1895, was 32. At the airport station 14 miles from the city, the mercury fell to 28.5.

Children enjoyed an unexpected, but shivering, holiday, as Superintendent of Public Instruction Charles M. Fisher ordered closing of all buildings except two at Miami Beach with steam heat installations.

U. Concert at Worcester

The Boston University Girls Glee Club tomorrow will present a concert at the Trowbridge Methodist Church, Worcester, under the direction of Miss Marie Oliver.

WALLACE URGES UNRESTRICTED PRODUCTION

Washington, Dec. 12—Secretary Wallace, in his annual report, today summarized the agricultural situation as follows:

"Adjusting production downward, when demand falls is . . . the compulso course."

"True prosperity cannot be had "by creating domestic shortages or continuously restricting production."

"Adjustment of farm production under federal guidance involves not regimentation but merely social discipline."

"Only by creating more employment in agriculture and in industry or in both can we remove the need for economic controls."

"We must enlarge our idea of democracy, or risk losing what democracy we have . . . The farm programs looks toward an economic democracy . . . in harmony with our political democracy.

"We wish to retain our foreign market (for cotton); and this means we must continue to supply it at moderate prices. But, we do not wish to keep prices ruinously low . . .

"Had wheat acreage not been curtailed by the acreage reduction, the 1934 crop would have been somewhat larger; but the growers would have been worse off."

"The emergency (corn-hog) program forwarded production adjustment . . . By conserving feed, it mitigated the excessive influence of the drouth upon hog production.

"The dairy industry has more production capacity than the market requires."

"The tobacco program increased the market receipts from the 1933 crop by approximately 850,000,000" in addition to benefit payments.

"It is necessary to transform the emergency program into a more permanent policy. . . . We must move from emergency adjustments to long-time planning."

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Boston Man Tells of Hotel Fire Horror

By International News Service

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 12—The family of Fred H. Nixon of 137 Peterboro street, Boston, owe their lives to the refusal of his small son to sleep alone in a room of the Kerns Hotel, Nixon disclosed today.

Nixon, his wife, Isabella, and their three children, Edward, 7; Roy, 4, and Dorothy, 6, were among those who escaped unharmed in the hotel fire tragedy that took the lives of from 23 to 40 persons yesterday.

They checked in at the ill-fated hotel at 8:30 p. m. Monday. Twelve hours later the old building was to be a smoking pyre, concealing the bodies of scores of guests trapped in its smoke-filled corridors.

"I can give you two adjoining rooms on the fourth floor," said the clerk to Nixon. "That's the best I can do."

"All right," said Nixon, and led his family toward the elevator. "The kids can sleep in one room and we'll take the other."

But four-year-old Roy balked. He refused to enter the elevator. His shrill cries rang through the lobby.

"Don't wanna sleep alone!" he shouted. "Don't wanna sleep alone!"

His father's explanations did no good. Embarrassed and angry, Nixon gave up and returned to the desk.

"You see how it is," he told the clerk, returning his room key.

The clerk didn't mind. Four other travelers were waiting to sign the death-warrant register for that room on the fourth floor.

The Nixon family went to the Hotel Wentworth, a smaller establishment adjoining the Kerns.

"Shortly before dawn," Nixon said, "I was awakened by faint moaning. Red flickering light filled the room. I thought the cries were those of children playing in the street. I opened the window and a puff of smoke poured in.

"I thought our hotel was afire and awakened my wife and children. When we got downstairs the fire engines were beginning to arrive.

"Then I heard the cries again. They were like somebody fiddling on a one-string violin. Rising and falling over the crackle of the fire the people inside were calling: 'Help! Help! Help!, all in the same high-pitched tone. I'll never forget it as long as I live.

"As we got on the other side of the building, we could see people hanging from window sills. One man jumped from a third story window and his legs crumpled under him like paper. Another fell on his head. I was glad the kids were half asleep and couldn't see them. Then we caught a cab and went to another hotel."

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 12—As fire-blackened, ice-covered ruins of the Hotel Kerns began giving up their dead today state police announced that 23 persons had been listed as victims of the flames that trapped the sleeping guests yesterday morning.

The roster of known dead included those whose bodies were taken from the Grand river, into which many terrified guests plunged; those who leaped to the street, dying of injuries, and those definitely reported by relatives to have spent the night in the hotel and said to be missing now.

Five bodies were taken this morning from the still smoking ruins of the hotel, but none had been identified. One apparently died in the lobby. The other two, found close together, evidently had occupied the same room.

JEWELS TAKEN IN HOLDUP

By Associated Press

Norwich, Ct., Dec. 12—Two unmasked bandits forced three men, including a minister, to lie on the floor face downward today during a jewelry store holdup, and fled with diamonds valued by the owner at $4000, $400 cash and a $472 check.

The robbers, armed with sawed-off shotguns, cleaned out the cases and vault in the Franklin street store of Lee Clegg and, police were told, fled in an automobile with New York license plates.

Clegg and his clerk, A. C. Brian and the Rev. Percy A. Kilmister, pastor of First Baptist Church, who had entered the store, were forced to lie on the floor during the robbery.

110 Abyssinians Slain by Italians

London, Dec. 12 (INS)—A total of 110 Abyssinians have been killed in clashes with Italian troops at Ulual Wells, Somaliland, an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Rome said today.

Mother, 2 Girls Overcome by Gas, Saved

Mrs. Josephine Goclecro, 30, of 512 East 8th street, South Boston, and her two children, Mary, 8, and Margaret, 12, accidentally were overcome today in their apartment from escaping gas fumes.

Neighbors noticed a strong odor of gas coming from the Goclecro flat. They entered the house finding Mrs. Goclecro and her two children unconscious.

Investigation found a slightly opened gas jet in the kitchen.

A call was sent to the Carney Hospital and an ambulance, accompanied by Doctor Irving Cutler, was sent.

Doctor Cutler revived the unconscious trio and ordered them to the hospital where they are recovering

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OPERATION TO RISK DEATH TODAY

Today, as her father and mother wait anxiously outside the operating room, 17-year-old Gertrude V. Beaven of Charlestown, former student at Oak Grove Seminary in Portland, Me., is scheduled to undergo a dangerous mastoid operation at Massachusetts Women's Hospital.

Since she contracted a pain in her right ear last February while attending the Portland girls' school —a pain which a Boston ear specialist later diagnosed as a mastoid —she has had three operations and has suffered constantly.

Yesterday, in the federal court of Portland, suit for $10,000 was brought against the school by Miss Beaven, through her attorney, Edward W. Bancroft of Boston, for alleged loss of her beauty and impairment of her health. At the same time, her father sued the school for $5000 for medical and hospital expenses.

Last night, Mr. Beaven, employe of the Charlestown Five Cent Savings Bank, had difficulty concentrating on the details of the suits. His concern right now, he con-

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TODAY'S BIRTHDAY BRISBANE IS 70

President's Message

NOTABLES ATTEND LUNCHEON IN HONOR OF FAMOUS EDITOR

By International News Service

New York, Dec. 12—Arthur Brisbane, famous editor and author of the widely read column, "Today," was the guest of honor today at a luncheon marking his 70th birthday and the 50th anniversary of his becoming an editor.

Leaders in public affairs, finance, business, transportation, communications and publishing gathered at the Hotel Warwick for the luncheon. Joseph V. Connolly, president of International News Service and Universal Service, presided and read a batch of congratulatory messages to Brisbane.

President Roosevelt sent a message in which he congratulated Brisbane on the merit of his writings, his clarity of style and ability to transfer his thoughts into printed words.

Arthur Brisbane

Pres. Roosevelt

Among the messages was one from William Randolph Hearst.

President Roosevelt's message was as follows:

"News has come to me that on Wednesday, December 12, of this year, you celebrate the seventieth anniversary of your birth and that you recently celebrated your fiftieth anniversary as an editor.

"This is momentous news.

"It is so momentous that I am moved to comment and to congratulate.

"Your writings, in my judgment, always have been marked with merit, not that I have agreed with you at all times, but because I always have been an admirer of things simply and clearly put. You have simplified the interpretation of news for many millions of people, and I make the statement, with little fear of contradiction, that none of these millions was ever at a loss to understand exactly what you meant when you transferred your thoughts into printed words."

Other Messages

Other congratulatory messages read at the luncheon came from such personages as David Lloyd George, war-time premier of England; Lord Beaverbrook, publisher, London Daily Express; Viscount Rothermere, publisher, London Daily Mail; Ralph D. Blumenfeld, chairman London Daily Express; Major John Jacob Astor, chairman, London Times; Ayimer Vallance, editor, London News Chronicle; Italo Balbo, former Italian air minister, now governor-general of Tripoli-Libya; Aldo Borelli, editor of the leading Italian daily, Corriere Della Sera of Milan; Sir Roderick Jones, chairman Reuter's Agency, London; James A. Farley, postmaster-general; Harold L. Ickes, secretary of the interior; Henry Morgenthau, Jr., secretary of the treasury; Bernard Rickatson-Hatt, editor-in-chief, Reuter's Agency, and Henry A. Wallace, secretary of agriculture.

Tributes also came from men and women in all walks of life, readers of Brisbane's writings for years. These and the other congratulatory messages will be bound in a volume and presented to Brisbane.

Mr. Hearst's message was as follows:

"Of course Mr. Brisbane is not seventy years old.

"That would make me a centenarian.

"But, however old the young man is, I congratulate him on his great talents and what is more important on the great good he has accomplished for his fellows during his brief span of life.

Ripe Old Age

"I sincerely hope that he will reach a really ripe and revered age toward the close of this century and that with increasing knowledge and wisdom and enthusiasm he will do even greater work in the world.

"We must not expect too much of a kid but certainly expect a lot of the young man when he grows up.

"With these few words of encouragement and with much friendship and affection I hail his birthday."

Among those present at the luncheon were Merlin H. Aylesworth, president, National Broadcasting Company; William Paley, president, Columbia Broadcasting System; Bernard Gimbel, Edward A. Filene, Boston; Charles M. Schwab, Captain Eddie Rickenbacker, Joseph H. Appel, John Wanamaker's; Hiram Percy Maxim, Walter Gifford, A. T. and T.; C. S. Gibbs, president, Postal Telegraph Company; A. W. Robertson, chairman, Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company; Rear Admiral Yates Sterling, J. M. Davis, president of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad; Major-General Dennis Nolan and T. J. Dillon, editor of the Minneapolis Tribune.

To the distinguished men who gathered to pay him tribute and to the millions who listened in on his radio address, it was Mr. Brisbane's birthday and golden editorial anniversary.

Just Another Day

To Mr. Brisbane it was just another day of work.

"I get up eight hours after I go to bed, I work until I am tired, and I go to work again. Sundays I get exercise: I ride horses."

That is his description of his days.

He slept six hours last night in his home near Allaire, N. J., rose at 7:30 a. m., ate lightly—he always eats lightly—read newspapers on the train, dictated editorials and letters to a machine as his car took him from the station to his office in the Daily Mirror buildings.

During the morning telephoned congratulations from friends were the only deviation from his daily routine, which is occupied with the composition of the eight "today" columns a week which are read by a total daily audience of 30,000,000 persons; a Sunday editorial page and book review; seven columns of editorials a week for the New York Daily Mirror, and occasional magazine articles.

Farm Interests

He can allocate only a part of his day to editorial work, for he has large business and agricultural interests. In New Jersey he has 7000 acres, in California 5000 acres, in Florida 3000 acres. In California he raises alfalfa, and sells it for $8 to $12 a ton baled; in New Jersey he has to pay $45 a ton for alfalfa to feed the horses which he raises on his New Jersey farm for profit. This is his farm problem.

In New Jersey he also raised sheep, largely Southdowns. Roast mutton is his favorite dish. He drinks "the good red bordeaux," diluted as the French do.

He likes blue suits and soft collars, and dislikes dressing up. Work is his only hobby. He reads in his spare time—mostly old things.

BABY BOY BORN A DOPE ADDICT

(Picture from International News Photograph Service)

Curse of narcotics . . . This two-weeks old baby, shown with his mother, Mrs. Jack Lorraine, was born with an addiction for morphine, according to physicians at Seattle, Washington . . . The doctors administered gradually reduced doses of morphine to the baby during the first seven days of his life and he now is pronounced "cured" . . . Mrs. Lorraine, admittedly an addict, plans to take a cure herself.

Industry Gains Sweep Nation

Radio Profit

OVER 3 MILLION RISE SHOWN IN '34 REPORT

New York, Dec. 12—Increasing evidence that many large industrial and business organizations are showing definite gain in revenues for 1934 over 1933 is to be found in annual reports covering the past fiscal year, now being made public.

Many of America's industrial leaders have hopes for further expansion and additional revenue gains.

General J. G. Harbord, Chairman of the Board of Radio Corporation of America, said:

"The net income of the Radio Corporation of America, in the first nine months of 1934, was $2,172,770, as compared to a loss of $1,793,370 in the similar period in 1933.

"Our company, like many others, continued expansion of services and improvement of products. Among the many advances was the establishment of a domestic radiotelegraph system, connecting several of the larger cities of the United States, and marked improvement in broadcast receiving sets that have brought a quick response from the public. One of the most encouraging things for the future is that so many individual organizations in America are now in a position to show results, if economic conditions give them a chance."

LOVE IS ENDED BUT UPKEEP GOES ON

VIRGINIA CHERRILL
Her Alimony Ordered

GAYETY *Warning to* POLICE

DRINKING WITH GIRLS CHARGED

LIVINGSTON IN SURPRISE TALK TO OFFICERS

Uniformed policemen with girls, draining glasses of strong spirits while on duty or lolling in radio cars to smoke pipes and cigarettes, are all too common in the Back Bay district, if complaints received by Deputy Superintendent William Livingston are to be believed.

Livingston surprised the officers and men of Station 16 by dropping in for the 7:45 roll call this morning. With about 100 men assembled, he told them that he wanted no more of these complaints.

However, Livingston made it plain that these things—if they are going on—must cease.

Good News for Bald! Best Dressed on Parade

GREY HAIRED MEN ALSO LEAD IN REVIEW FOR EXTRA JOBS

By International News Service

Hollywood, Dec. 12—Here's good news for the man whose hair is beginning to desert him.

A review today had revealed a majority of the best dressed men in Hollywood are either bald, or grey, or both.

The review was made at a theater here when 250 male extras—the 250 selected from more than a thousand to get the designation as dress extras—parade before motion picture stars, costume designers, directors, and just the garden-run of silver screen fans.

This review of the dress extras was staged by the Central Casting Bureau before a group of 12 judges to select the Class A dress extras who will receive from $15 to $25 per day.

Of course, there were young men among the 250 males, who appeared in long-tailed coats, white vests and ties, patent leather shoes, top hats and opera cloaks, but they represented only about 30 per cent of the group.

As the event got under way the master of ceremonies announced that the "best dressed men and most beautiful women" of Hollywood would show off the wearing of fine clothes as if "to the manner born."

The review of the males also revealed that goatees, beards and moustaches, of all styles and descriptions, are part of the equipment of the well-dressed man of moviedom.

And as for the ladies, who for years have worried about their figures the parade also gave them solace.

A vast majority of these "most beautiful women" of Hollywood showed the audiences figures of the Mae West hour-glass type. There was a decided trend toward plumpness manifest.

The decision of the judges as to the 50 couples who win the Class A rating will not be announced for some time.

ROMANCE CAUSES ROW

Story romance in a work-a-day section of Harvard University was unfolded today in East Cambridge court, netting a Cambridge woman probation on a charge of disturbing the peace and delay of a finding, until next June, on a charge of attempting to extort.

The woman, Miss Anne Daley, 43, of Arnold circle, Cambridge, was haled into court on complaint of John J. Phelan, 40, of Baldwin street, Cambridge, general repair man at Harvard for the last 15 years.

Phelan's principal witness was Miss Ethel Clough, 37, of Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, hostess at the Leverett House at Harvard.

Miss Clough testified Miss Daley pulled up behind a car in which she was parked with Phelan last September and that Miss Daley demanded $200 of Phelan.

Phelan admitted he had kept company with Miss Daley for about a year. He added that sometime after he had ceased to keep company, Miss Daley came to him and made a demand for $200. He said she threatened to see that he lost his job unless the money was forthcoming. Several brushes before the alleged one described by Miss Clough, occurred at intervals later, he said.

Woman Claims Attack on Ride

Elmer F. Scott of Chapel street, Braintree, today went on trial before Judge Nelson P. Brown and a jury in Norfolk Superior Court, Dedham, charged with attacking Mrs. Elsie L. Saben, 36, of Pond street, Avon.

The woman testified she was waiting for a bus to take her to work in Brockton, when the man offered her a ride. He took her to the grounds of the Brockton Gun Club, she said, explaining that he was a gun club inspector and had to stop there on his way into town.

There, shec laims, he attacked her despite her struggles.

Mayor Drops Armory Plan

Mayor Mansfield today abandoned plans to petition Gorvernor Ely for use of state armories in sheltering the homeless this winter.

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Bath Powder and Soap, in the spicy Water Lily odor.

Bath Powder - - - $1
Water Lily Bath Powder with large puff. Ribbon tied.

Compact - - - - $2
Water Lily double square gold-tone compact.

COTY

Shaving Set - - $1
Oversize tube of Shaving Cream, with a large can of After Shaving Talcum. Clean odor.

Gift Set - - $4.25
Double compact and flacon of perfume. The compact is gold finished, and enamel trimmed.

HOUBIGANT

Bath Set - - $2.75
Generous size box of Bath Powder and Toilet Water. Quelques Fleurs.

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Bath Set - - - $3
Evening in Paris Talcum, Eau de Cologne and Bath Crystals. Smartly gift boxed.

CUTEX

Manicure Set - 89c
Red, black or brown bakelite box, with every essential for well groomed nails.

Louella O. Parsons Leads All Hollywood Columnists; Read It Daily, Page 14

2 MAYORS LOSE, 1 WINNER IN ELECTIONS

Two former Massachusetts mayors staged comebacks and a third held to his post, final returns from yesterday's elections revealed today.

In two other cities, close contests were waged for minor offices in the absence of mayoralty contests.

The comebacks were at the expense of incumbents, for Mayor William Johnson defeating Mayor Archie Pratt 4293 to 3978 at Forth Adams, and former Mayor James A. Torrey winning over Mayor Paul S. Eaton, who ran third in the contest.

Melrose voters returned Mayor Robert A. Perkins by a vote of 4268 to 3848 over Ralph D. Washburn. Former Alderman Alfred J. Campbell ran third with 948 votes.

The Melrose contest for four Aldermen-at-Large brought a tie for fourth place between Walter W. Bruce and Frederick P. Wyman with 2818 votes each. The others elected were former Mayor Albert M. Tibbets, Theodore P. Hollis and Russell B. Hall.

Dr. Warren L. Adams led the five elected to the school committee. The others were Dr. Ralph B. Leonard, present chairman; Deming L. Wentworth, Geoffrey G Felt and Mrs. Maude M. Johnson Mrs. Johnson is confined to her home due to an auto accident.

Newton and Lawrence held the off-year elections.

Probably the biggest surprise in the Newton election was the triumph of Alfred J. Guzzi, Levi Warren junior high school janitor, in the aldermanic election in Ward 3.

ALDERMAN-AT-LARGE

*John E. Barwise	3321
John W. Blakeney, Jr.	2915
Waldo E. Weldon	1792

WARD 1

*Frank T. McCabe	3707
Richard H. Lee	3187

WARD 2

*Albert M. Lyon	4087
Edward J. Dooley	2980

WARD 3

*Maynard Hutchinson	
	No contest
*Charles B. Floyd	No contest
*Donald D. McKay	No contest
Henderson Inches	No contest

WARD 4

*Clarence C. Colby	3434
James M. Manning	2937
David Greer	2003
Paul Harris Drake	1214

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (Three Wards)

WARD 3

**George H. Fernald, Jr.	3901
Alderman Bernard Ferrell, Jr	3654

WARD 5

**Mrs. Margaret Woods	3994
Francis McCabe	3538

WARD 6

**Kirtley F. Mather	3704
Miss Katherine C. Caverno	2834
Dr. Myron C. Surabian	452

MELROSE

ALDERMEN-AT-LARGE (4 to be elected)—Anderson, 1625; **Bruce, 2818; Gibbons, 1062; *Hall, 3296; Hanglin, 542; *Hollis, 3499; Marr, 1851; Platt, 1008; Thompson, 2341; *Tibbetts, 3715; Wing, 499; **Wyman, 2818.

School Committee—Five to be elected—*Adams, 4797; Black, 3726; Faden, 2346; *Felt, 3270; *Johnson, 4175; *Leonard, 4523; McLaughlin, 1920; Wentworth, 4533.

Ward aldermen (one from each ward):

Ward One—*Baker, 380; Dove, 308; Forbes, 188.

Ward Two—*Knoblock, 724; Robinson, 478.

Ward Three—*Black, 839.

Ward Four—Amadon, 348; Clement, 158; *Provandie, 410.

Ward Five—*Harris, 633; Keeler, 136.

Ward Six—Harding, 430; *Valtsez, 562.

Ward Seven—*Mansfield, 442; Noyes, 350; Stewart, 87; Taylor, 109.

*Elected.
**Tied.

CAPT. KILLEN, NORTON CLASH

A police captain and a city councillor today called each other names because a "town character" had been arrested for drunkenness.

The clash came between City Councillor Clement A. Norton of Hyde Park and Captain Matthew J. Killen, just transferred from the Hyde Park to the Charlestown police station, at a session of the Boston Licensing Board.

Norton appeared on behalf of John F. Brennan, near whose restaurant in Harvard avenue, Hyde Park, a "town character" was arrested on November 23.

Brennan's place is a proper one, the councillor said and added that he was disgusted with "the stubbornese and vindictiveness" of the police in seeking to close the place.

Killen, on the other hand, declared that Brennan had sold beer to the man after he was already intoxicated, and said that it was high time that the "mayor of Hyde Park" realize that it had been annexed to Boston some time ago.

Kate Kent, Film "Mother," Killed

Hollywood, Dec. 12—Mrs. Kate Kent, 70-year-old screen "mother" and character actress, was killed last night by an automobile as she was crossing a street in a blinding rain squall.

Although her name never appeared on the main title of a motion picture, Mrs. Kent was as familiar to film people as any of the most renowned stars. She is survived by a son, Ted Kent.

Mean Old Motor Quit on 'Em

JEAN LA RENE HENRIETTE SUMNER

After 210 hours in the air, here are Oklahoma City's two "flying blondes" back safe on earth—but without the women's endurance record they were shooting at. They are Jean La Rene and Henriette Sumner. It was engine trouble which brought them down. (Picture from International News Photograph Service.)

TODAY -:- By Arthur Brisbane

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attempts are made to discourage murder.

President Roosevelt takes the lead here, summoning all forces of the nation, state, national and local to fight *private crime*, banditry, traffic in narcotics, lynchings, kidnaping, plain ordinary murder.

Private crime worries us here.

Across the ocean the League of Nations exhorts all Europe to fight "terrorism," the kind of murder that attacks public characters, as in the recent instance of King Alexander, Louis Barthou, the French statesman, and the more recent murder in Russia of Stalin's valued assistant, Kirov.

Europe's murderers kill for political reasons. Political hatred overcomes fear of death, of which Bacon truly remarks, "Revenge triumphs over death; love slights it; honor aspireth to it; grief flieth to it."

In this more practical land, men kill, rob and kidnap for profit. They are not indifferent to death.

A sufficiently large graveyard of criminals with fresh new mounds would do much to discourage the American crime industry.

Ladies with dark hair, finding blond hairs on their husband's coats, and vice versa, appear in divorce cases, complaining.

A Philadelphia lady, daughter of a Venezuelan secretary of state, has something more substantial than a yellow or black hair to offer the court. When her husband, returning from an all night party, undressed, his distressed wife perceived "tooth marks on his shoulder." She knew she could identify the lady whose teeth would fit those marks. The case was further complicated by the indignant statement that the "tooth marks" are marks of guilty affection on the part of the lady whose teeth would fit the bites. There is a moving picture plot, or something, in that news story.

A lady from Berlin with the long name Baroness Eloisa De Bosquet Von Wagner Wehrborn, tired of civilization, sailed away to the Galapagos Islands, where, free from civilized restraints, clothes included if she chose, she associated on terms of superiority with various men. Two of them, at intervals, some times two or three times a week, fought for her favors "with hands, clubs and rocks." They had no modern weapons.

As they fought, "the European noblewoman stood by and goaded them on." Finally, one man, beaten too often, yielded the prize to his rival. The latter and the baroness thereupon sailed away to another Galapagos island. It is a strange mixture of the old cave days and the modern "owl and pussycat" that went to sea in a beautiful pea-green boat.

Two life convicts have earned freedom by submitting to medical experiment with "tuberculosis vaccine," or preventive. The "preventive" with which the doctors have experimented on Carl Ericson and Mike Schmidt for months past is not a tuberculosis cure. It prevents those inoculated from contracting tuberculosis, as ordinary vaccination prevents contracting smallpox.

Doctors of the National Jewish Hospital, who have worked on the new serum for 15 years past, warned the convicts that they would risk their lives in the experiment, now proved successful.

Both chose loss of life with possible recovery of liberty as the reward. Both, serving life terms, will be freed.

End of Bitter Cold in Sight

The end of New England's bitter cold is in sight, according to the weather bureau. Although there will be a probable drop in temperature today, the mercury will start rising before tomorrow, the forecast said.

Boston temperature was officially recorded at 9 above for its low point today, several degrees above the low readings for the past four days.

The weather will be clear, with northwest winds prevailing, according to the forecast.

Barbara Holmes gives her patrons a card of introduction from the bureau to the agency or person offering the rental.

Rites on Friday for James Halpin

Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock Friday morning for Commander James Anthony Halpin, 64, chief of the medical service at Chelsea Naval Hospital, at St. Aidan's church, Freeman and Pleasant streets, Brookline.

Commander Halpin died suddenly yesterday. Burial will be in the National Cemetery at Arlington, Washington, D. C.

Auto Deaths Mount

A jump of approximately 75 per cent in motor vehicle fatalities during the first 11 months of this year was experienced by 12 cities and 19 towns of this state, according to a report published by the governor's committee on street and highway safety.

Plymouth Trust Pays

More than $207,000 will be distributed to the depositors of the closed Plymouth Trust Company to bring the dividends from the savings department of the Brockton bank up to 80 per cent. The checks will be mailed to the 21,000 depositors about January 10, it was announced.

Santosuosso Gains

The recount of votes in 72 of Boston's 367 precincts gave Dr. Joseph Santosuosso, defeated Democratic candidate for Secretary of State, a net gain of 53 votes. A similar recount in Fall River netted Frederick W. Cook, successful candidate for re-election on the Republican ticket 80 additional votes.

Town Funds Held Up

Appropriations made at the Braintree town meeting of November 9 have been declared invalid by Judge Abraham E. Pinanski of Suffolk Superior Court on the grounds that the town finance committee did not have time to sufficiently consider the proposed expenditures as required by law.

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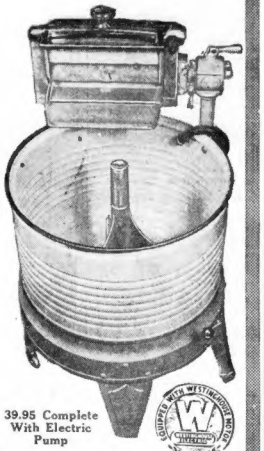

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WHITE'S—STREET FLOOR

WIDE SPLIT IN OPINIONS ON BRUNO'S GUILT

By JAMES L. KILGALLEN
International News Service Staff Correspondent

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Flemington, N. J., Dec. 12—Bruno Richard Hauptmann — reiterating his "I am innocent" contention in the face of incriminating evidence—continues to be an enigmatic figure.

Today, some three months after his arrest with a $20 Lindbergh ransom bill in his possession, he is as adamant as ever that he wasn't the man who went up the ladder at the Lindbergh home at Hopewell, N. J., on the night of March 1, 1932, seized little Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr., from his crib and subsequently killed the baby whose body was found weeks later in the brush not far from a New Jersey highway.

On Jan. 2 Hauptmann will be the lone defendant answering in the Hunterdon County court to the charge that he murdered the Lindbergh baby.

Hauptmann is being closely guarded in his cell in the county jail here. He was arrested in New York on Sept. 19 and put up a losing fight against extradition to New Jersey.

He has lost some weight during his incarceration in the Flemington jail. But he remains the same cold-eyed, steel-nerved, poker-faced individual who mystified the authorities from the moment of his arrest.

STILL DENIES GUILT

Hauptmann still claims he is innocent and that he has no knowledge of the kidnaping of the baby.

He has been visited many times in the jail here by his loyal wife, Anna, and their year-old son, Manfried, and also by the chief counsel for the defense, Edward J. Reilly, a veteran of 1000 homicide cases. Hauptmann released James M. Fawcett, the attorney who defended him during the extradition proceedings in New York, and took over Reilly as his new chief counsel. He and Reilly have gone over defense plans quite thoroughly.

Nearly everybody was convinced that the State of New York had an "airtight" extortion case against Hauptmann. But there is a sharp difference of opinion as to whether the State of New Jersey has a sure-fire murder case against the defendant. New Jersey, however, insists that it has.

DOUBT N. J. EVIDENCE

Ask the average man or woman for an opinion of Hauptmann and the average answer at this writing is something like this:

"I think he is guilty in the sense of having been in on the getting of the Lindbergh ransom money, but as for the actual kidnaping and killing of the baby—well, I don't know whether I would convict him of that on the evidence so far revealed by the State of New Jersey."

The fact police found $14,590 of the $50,000 Lindbergh ransom money in Hauptmann's home and garage in the Bronx, New York city, was regarded as highly incriminating by the authorities.

Hauptmann's explanation was that this money was left in his safekeeping by a former friend, Isidor Fisch, now dead. Fisch went to Germany in December, 1933, and died in Leipsic of tuberculosis last March. Hauptmann claims Fisch left two suitcases and a shoe box with him when he left New York for abroad.

The authorities scoff at this "Fisch story." They characterized it as very fishy.

Tomorrow: Mr. Kilgallen will discuss Hauptmann's alibi as to his whereabouts at the time the Lindbergh baby was kidnaped.

Defense Awaits New Note Probe

By Associated Press

Flemington, N. J., Dec. 12—The defense hoped today for a state investigation of its claim that the second Lindbergh ransom note was written not by Bruno Richard Hauptmann, but by a New Jersey carpenter of known criminal connections.

Edward J. Reilly, chief defense counsel, flung a verbal bombshell into the state's legal camp yesterday by announcing that at least one of the notes received by Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh after the kidnap-slaying of the flier's son was written by a member of a gang.

Attorney-General David T. Wilentz, chief of the state staff which intends to show that Hauptmann not only kidnaped the child but wrote the notes, was non-committal.

"Jafsie" Heads for Miami on "Probe"

By Associated Press

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 11—Dr. John F. ("Jafsie") Condon of New York city, who served as an intermediary in the Lindbergh kidnaping case, passed through Columbia tonight on his way to Miami, Fla., he said, to conduct "a personal investigation" into angles of the case.

Dr. Condon declined to discuss details of the kidnaping case, asserting he would "tell everything I know in open court" when called to testify at the trial of Bruno Richard Hauptmann, charged with the Lindbergh baby's death.

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Fine cotton prints and plaids, many lace trims. Also silk dresses in smocked styles. Sizes 1 to 3—3 to 6 in the group.

Tots' Flannelette Pajamas, 2 for $1

Cotton flannelette. Also tots' sleeping garments. Slight irregulars. Sizes 2 to 6 in the group but not in every color.

Tots' All-Wool $1.69-$2 Sweaters

Sizes 2 to 3 and 2 to 6

Toddlers' slipover, embroidered or plain coat styles. Sizes 2-3 $1

Tots' slipovers, some brushed inside, some jacquard bottoms, some embroidered. Sizes 3-6.

Misses' Wool Skating Sets

Cap and Scarf for $1

In white, red, orange, green, wine, brown—blue, navy. Millinery Department.

Girls' $1.59 Skirts and Sweaters

Lovely New Gift Styles $1

All Wool Slipons in new color combinations. Sizes 8 to 14.

All Wool Flannel Skirts pleated style, button top. Sizes 7 to 14.

Lace Trimmed Rayon Undies, 2 for $1

An exceptional group of first quality, better grade rayon vests, bloomers and panties. Regular and extra sizes. Popular tearose shade. Match them into sets for gifts.

Women's Perfect Silk Hose, 2 Pairs $1

All Full fashioned. Smart silk-to-the-top chiffons with picot edge. Service weights with lisle welts and foot. Sizes 8½ to 10½.

Women's $1.29 Balbriggan Pajamas (cotton) $1

Long or short sleeve styles. Also flannelette (cotton) pajamas in the group. Popular colors.

Women's Flannelette Gowns, 2 for $1

Cotton flannelette plain colors and wide choice of stripes. Sizes 16 to 19. Our usual 69c grade.

Women's Porto Rican Gowns, 2 for $1

Hand embroidered and appliqued. White or pastel shades. Regular and extra sizes.

Women's Dress and Apron Set

Both for Only $1

Fine percale print daytime dress with organdie apron trimmed to match dress. Sizes 16 to 46.

1500 prs. Women's $2-$4 Shoes $1 pr.

Left over from recent sales and many from our own higher priced stocks—Few are Shopworn

Including suedes, calfs and kids in ties, straps and pumps. All sizes 3½ to 8, widths AA to C in the group. Not all sizes in all styles. Plenty of small sizes. All sales final. Sorry, No Mail or Phone Orders.

Samples—Odd Lots—Soiled Pcs. Women's $1.39 to $1.98 All Silk Bias Slips $1

Perfect fitting bias cut slips, tailored or lace trimmed top and bottom. Self adjustable shoulder straps. Flesh, tearose, few white. Sizes 34 to 44 in the group.

Special Package Diapers, 10 for $1

Birdseye or cotton flannelette diapers. All hemmed, ready for use. All first quality. Special package.

Women's Novelty Scarfs, 2 for $1

New tubular styles in new bright colors. Also wool scarfs in bright red, brown, green or blue plaids.

Women's Gift Blouses Skirts or Sweaters

$2 to $3 Velveteen Cotton Blouses, long or short sleeve. Street and bright shades. 34 to 38. $1

Silk Blouses, some samples, some seconds, some from our better stocks. Also some rayon taffetas included. Prints and solid colors.

Slipon Sweaters, an unusual gift variety of better grade sweaters. Long sleeves. Tailored or blouse details. Some samples. Sizes 34 to 40. Each $1

2150 Women's $2-$3 Gift Handbags $1

Many SAMPLES . . Discontinued Styles . . Closeouts . . including Beaded Evening Bags . . Leathers . . Wools . . Shirred Crepes . . even Transparent rayon (pile) Velvet Muff Bags . . few seconds.

The most outstanding group of $1 gift bags we've offered in seasons. Slide fastener tops . . . beautiful linings . . . mirror and purse fitting . . . expensive ornament trims. Black or brown. each $1

Tots' Knit Scarf Sets $1
Beret and scarf. Hand knit.

Tots' Laskin Lamb Muffs . . . $1
Lovely gifts for little girls.

$1.49 Crib Blankets $1
Size 36x50. Slight irregulars.

Infants' Boxed Gifts . . Each $1
Robe and bootee sets, buntings or bootee sets.

Tots' Warm Pajamas . . 2 for $1
Cotton flannelette, blazer or nursery patterns. Sizes 2 to 8.

Handmade Gertrudes . . 2 for $1
Infants' sizes 1 and 2. Hand embroidered.

Infants' Knit Sets, boxed . . . $1
Jacket, bonnet and bootees.

HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's Irish Prints . . 18 for $1
Gay colors. Fine Irish lawn.

Woman's Midget Hem . . 12 for $1
Fine Irish Linen.

Men's Irish Linen . . . . 8 for $1
All white. ¾ or 3-16 in. hems.

Men's Fine Cottons . . . 18 for $1
All white or colored borders.

Men's Linen Initial . . . 2 Boxes $1
Three in a gift box. White.

Men's Colored Initial . . 2 Boxes $1
White with colored borders. Three in a gift box.

Women's Linen Initial . . 12 for $1
Midget hem. All white.

Women's Embroidered . . 12 for $1
Hand embroidered linen.

Women's Celanese Hose . . 4 for $1
Semi-fashioned. Irregulars. Sizes 8½ to 10½.

Women's Rayon Undies . . 5 for $1
Vests, bloomers, panties. Regular and extra sizes. Few are seconds.

Women's Foundations $1
With or without underbelts.

Side-Closing Girdles $1
All sizes in the group.

2-Way Stretch Girdles $1
Slight irregulars of better grades.

Girls' $1.98 Raincapes $1
Tweed effects. Some with hats 6-14.

Girls' Gift Blouses $1
Cotton broadcloth or pongee. 8-14.

Girls' 8 to 14 Dresses $1
Novelty wool-and-cotton. Sizes 8-14.

Women's Capeskin Gloves . . $1
Also some suedes. Few seconds.

Child's Felt Slippers $1
Also bunny slippers. Sizes 6-2.

Children's Shoes $1
Low oxfords. Sizes 8½ to 2.

Women's $1.69 Chemises . . $1
Extra sizes 46 to 52. Tearose.

Rayon Taffeta Gowns $1
For misses-women. Satin finish. Lace trimmed or tailored.

Child's Anklets . . . . . 5 Prs. $1
Wool and cotton. Slight irregulars.

Girls' 69c Pajamas . . . 2 for $1
Cotton flannelette. Two-piece. 8-14.

Girls' Bath Robes $1
Diamond patterns. Cord trim. 7-14.

Fruit of Loom Aprons . . 4 for $1
Four styles coverall, slipon, bib.

Extra Size Aprons . . . . 2 for $1
Fruit of the Loom prints. Coveralls.

Wool Shoulderettes . . . 2 for $1
Just 300. Usually $1.10. Ribbon trims. Sports Department.

Women's $1 Slippers . . 2 Prs. $1
Rayon crepe with cuban heel and tuched toe. Sizes 3 to 8.

Boys' Golf Hose . . . . . 3 Prs. $1
Wool and cotton. Fitted cuff.

Snuggie Pajamas $1
Women's—Also rayon gowns. Small, medium or large sizes in group.

Women's Silk Hose . . 3 Prs. $1
First quality. Semi-fashioned. Splash-proof chiffons and service weights. No mail or phone orders.

Women's Hose . . . . . 4 Prs. $1
Rayon-wool-and-cotton. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Irregulars.

Women's Felt Hats $1
Original $1.55 to $1.88. Fur felt and suede felt hats.

Women's Blouses . . . . . 2 for $1
Odd lot. Mostly small sizes.

Flannelette Gowns $1
Amoskeag cotton flannelette. ALL EXTRA SIZE for women.

Philippine Gowns $1
Women's—Hand made and embroidered.

Filet Scarfs, set of 4 . . . . . $1
1 size 16x36, 1 size 16x45, 1 size 16x54, 1 size 16x72.

Men's Fancy Hose . . . . 5 Prs. $1
Rayon-cotton-celanese; plain or fancy

Men's Shirts or Shorts . 4 for $1
SHIRTS: 36 to 46; SHORTS: 30 to 44.

Men's Shirts . . . . . 2 for $1
Odd lots: some down from upstairs; broken sizes. No mail or phone orders.

Turkish Face Clothes . . 24 for $1

16-in. Irish Linen Crash . . . . . 7 Yds. $1

8-Pc. Gift Toilet Set $1
All useful dresser implements; attractive colors, conveniently boxed. Only 300 sets.

2-oz. Racquel Perfume . . 2 for $1
Gardenia, Orange Blossom or L'Endeley; attractive bottle; de luxe gift container.

Professional-size Cleansing Tissues . . . 3 Boxes for $1

Assorted Chocolates . . 4 Lbs. $1
Caramels, nougatines and fruit cream centers.

Playing Cards, 5 Packs, $1
Gilt-finished edges; fancy backs.

Salted Mixed Nuts . . . 2 Lbs. $1
No peanuts; crisp and fresh nuts.

$1.69 Decorated Tea Pots . . $1
Heavy porcelain-enamel; only 162 of these.

Metal Wood Carriers, Ea. $1
Antique brass-color fireplace wood carrier.

Lightning Heat Pads. With extra refill . . . . . Both $1

Gilbert Kitchen Clocks . . . $1
30-hour movement; green, blue or ivory.

Ingraham Alarm Clocks . . . . . Each $1
Loud alarm; guaranteed movement.

5-Year Leather Diaries. Each $1
Large size; with lock and key; assorted bindings; boxed.

Hot-Water Bottles and Fountain Syringe, Both $1

5-Lb. Tin Filled Candies . . . . . Each $1
Thin-shell candies filled with soft centers.

Opera Glasses . . . . . Pair $1
Adjustable; our own importation.

Electric Tie Pressers, 2 for $1
Complete with cord and plug.

Boy Scout Knife and Compass $1
A splendid gift for boys.

Toy Sewing Machines, Ea. $1
Each in a small box; ideal gift for girls.

Florentine-type Boxes . . . . . 2 Sets $1
Glove or trinket boxes; colorful designs.

Lined Tapestry Scarfs, Ea. $1
Rayon Scarfs; 16x50 inches; several designs.

Rayon Chair Pads, 2 Sets $1
Attractive colors; exceptional gift value.

Chinese Embroidered Mats . . . . . 2 for $1
Square shape; 16-inch size; variety of designs.

Oilette Pictures . . . . . Each $1
18x22 gilt-finished wooden frame; floral designs.

Fitted Work Boxes . . . . . Ea. $1
With scissors and accessories.

Assorted Games . . . . . 5 for $1
Big assortment of interesting and fascinating games.

Heavy Felt Base Floor Covering, 4 Sq. Yds. $1

Usually 49c yard! Tile or floral patterns in green, blue, tan, etc.

Cotton Gift Scatter Rugs, 3 for $1

- Chenille rugs, 18x36.
- Hit-or-miss rag rugs, 24x48. Only 280 rugs.

Lawns, Dimities and Novelty Cottons, 5 Yds. $1

SECONDS of patterns that will be best sellers in 1935. Beautiful patterns and colorings.

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs 12 for $1

Regular size; hemstitched hems. All white.

8 Rolls Statler Towels and Holder $1

Hand household towels (150-sheet rolls). White only, for home or office.

Sanitary Pads, 12 in Box 8 Boxes for $1

Regular size with soluble filler and rounded ends, thick and absorbent. Mail or phone orders.

A Bargain We Thought Impossible but HERE They Are! And They'll Sell in a Hurry!

3400 Pairs Men's Gift Gloves

—Knit-lined Capeand Suedes
—Suede Pigskin
—Pig-tex or Pig-gined Capeskin
—Lined Suede or Capeskin
—Soft Mocha Glove
—Plain Capeskins
—Goatskins; Buckskin
—Few Fur-lined Glove
—Variety too numerous to mention

$1 Pair

80% are Perfect Few IRREGULARS—Be Early!

Men's Warm $1.50 Gift Bath Robes $1

- All-over pattern blanket cloth
- fully-cut, roomy, well-fitted
- Shawl-collar style, cord girdle
- smart color-combinations
- small, medium or large sizes

EACH

Men's Rubber Raincoats $1

Lightweight; single-breasted, snap-button style. All first quality; small. Plenty of large sizes. EACH

Men's Silk Gift Hose, 3 Pairs $1

All first quality! Black, brown, navy or white. These make fine gifts for men. Sizes 10 to 12.

Men's $1.95 to $3 Shirts $1

SECONDS from 3 manufacturers of men's specialty shop shirts. 80% are white broadcloth; some fancies, some two-collar-to-match; sizes 14 to 18in the group. EACH

Men's Hand-Tailored Gift Ties, 3 for $1

Ideal for Christmas gifts: unusually large assortment of patterns and color combinations.

Men's 6x3-rib Wool Gift Hose, 2 Pairs $1

All first quality; gray, blue, brown or dark gray; 6x3-ribbed for long wear. Sizes 10½ to 12.

Lined Damask Drapes $1

With pinch-pleated tops! Rich rayon-and-cotton damask; rust, blue, green, rose, mulberry, red or gold-color. No mail or phone orders. PAIR

Sateen, Cretonne or Valancing, 4 Yds. $1

69c velours window valancing, fringed bottom; 50-inch pongee-color lining sateen, usually 39c; or imported English cretonne. CHOICE, 4 yds.

Rubberized Bathroom Window Drapes, 2 Sets $1

Made of Fruit-of-the-Loom shower curtain material; assorted figured patterns.

69c Curtains, 3 Pairs for $1

Just 1000 pairs of these! Perfect quality marquisette curtains in tailored style with hems side and bottom; or ruffled Priscilla style. Ivory or ecru.

Crochet Cotton 5 Skeins for $1

Usually 29c per skein; 800 yards to the skein. Natural color for bedspreads, chair backs, etc. EACH

Top-of-the-Stove Baking Oven $1

10x11x12-inch size with glass front door; has two wire racks inside. EACH

Boys' Gift Shirts or Blouses, 2 for $1

SHIRTS: Vat-dyed fancy patterns; cellophane wrapped; sizes 8 to 16 years.

Boys' Blanket-cloth Gift Bathrobes $1

Fancy brown, red, green or blue patterns; corded shawl-collar robes with cord girdle. Sizes 8 to 14. EACH

Children's Woolen Mittens 3 Prs. $1

Fancy and plain colors; warm mittens for the children for Christmas.

TOYS, 2 for $1

- White delivery trucks; 20-inch; rubber tires, battery and lights.
- TRIX dressed Girl Doll, 16-inch, composition hard body; dressed.
- 16-inch Baby Doll; soft, stuffed body; pink, blue, yellow, white dress and bonnet; composition head, arms, legs.
- Japanese Tennis Racquets, light-weight; usually 75c; ideal for beginners.

Christmas Tree Lights With Bulbs, 3 for $1

8-light sets in series; complete with colored bulbs, and tri-plug for connecting two or more sets.

Men's Kidskin Gift Slippers Pair $1

Genuine kidskin, in brown, black or blue; padded soles and heels with quilted sock linings. All have counters to hold their shape. Sizes 6 to 11.

Children's Gift Books, 4 for $1

For boys and girls; unusually large assortment.

CHARGE ACCOUNTS—FREE DELIVERIES—MAIL OR PHONE ORDERS WHILE POSSIBLE—CALL HUBBARD 2700

HUNGRY, COLD FAMILY WAITS BASKET HELP

It is one flight up—in a tenement underneath the elevated trestle in Charlestown.

You stumble up over dark and garbage littered steps, feeling for the turns with a cautious foot. There is the smell of boiling clothes and cooking odors as you enter the tenement.

The family is about to dine—9 of them, with the invalid and widowed mother serving their dinner. And they dine on a slice of bread and bologna, and wash it down with black coffee.

It is all the food they have. This coffee has been made over a fire made of wood and coal picked up in the street by the children who have shoes.

NO SHOES, NO COATS

Four of the children—girls, haven't any shoes. They don't go to school, not only because they haven't footwear, but they have no coats, either. They will go to school when they receive shoes and coats—that day seemed far off, until the Christmas Basket Editor arrived.

He found the children huddled near the stove, their small hands red from the cold. The girls were wearing summer dresses—no underwear or stockings.

Yes, they are on the welfare. But that isn't enough. They don't pay any bills for electricity or gas. They haven't any electricity or gas to pay for. They use an oil lamp. And this they only use about two hours each evening until they can get into their two beds.

The girls all sleep in one bed. It is warmer that way. Especially when you have no blankets or coats to throw over your cold body.

The mother told the Christmas Basket Editor that she must go to a hospital for a serious operation. But she is postponing this appointment until after Christmas, so that she can be with her family.

She then led the Editor and a photographer into an adjoining room. The floor was covered with a sheet of ice. There had been a leak in the water pipe the night before, and the floor had been covered with water before the arrival of a plumber. The water immediately froze.

TOUGHEST CASE

After leaving some money and a promise to return with help, the Christmas Basket editor and the photographer descended the stairs to the street. The photographer turned and looked back at the house and said in a low voice:

"That is the toughest case I have seen in 30 years of taking pictures."

He was wrong. This isn't the "toughest" case. There are thousands of them. The appeals continue to arrive with every mail delivery. A mighty task awaits the Christmas Basket editor of the Boston Evening American. And he cannot do it without YOUR help. It is up to YOU to do your bit. It is needed now more than ever before.

Send your donations to the American Christmas Basket editor, at 294 Devonshire street. If you are in the shopping district come into the office personally, or drop it in the mail.

Today among the contributions received was one from the Ideal Club of the West End. The secretary, Mario E. Spagnolo sent $5. Still another generous donation was brought in by Louis A. Gosselin, quartermaster of the Suffolk County Council, Veterans of Foreign Wars. This check signed by the Commander, James A. Reilly, was for $15.

They're Depending on You

Two little girls, in a Charlestown family of 12, had no hope of a real Christmas dinner until the Boston Evening American Basket Fund came to their aid. They are shown "hugging" the kitchen stove in their three-room flat. Their mother, soon to go to a hospital for a serious operation, is postponing action, to be with her family over Christmas. This and many other needy cases depend upon your help to the fund—Goodfellows.

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Toy or Food Will Admit You to Basket Fund Show

Wouldn't you like to gladden the heart of some poor kiddie on Christmas Day? Of course you would. Well, then, here is your chance without pinching your pocketbook or upsetting the weekly budget.

Perhaps you have some discarded toy, which meant so much to junior last Christmas; or a doll that sister no longer cares for. Maybe you can conveniently spare that extra jar of jam, or can very well do with one can less of tomato soup.

If so, then bring any one of these articles to the special Toy and Food performance to be given Saturday morning at Loew's State Theater in aid of the Boston Evening American Christmas Basket Fund. It will admit you. No money will be accepted. All you need is a toy or canned food.

The program will be made up of Laurel & Hardy and Our Gang comedies, cartoons, Mickey Mouse, novelties, travel talks, news, song festival with Arthur Martel at the organ, and as the outstanding highlight Mary V. Corbett will stage her miniature revue of clever kiddies.

MIDNIGHT FETE TO AID FUND

East side, west side, all around the town, everybody everywhere is contributing their help and services to boost the Boston Evening American Christmas Basket Fund.

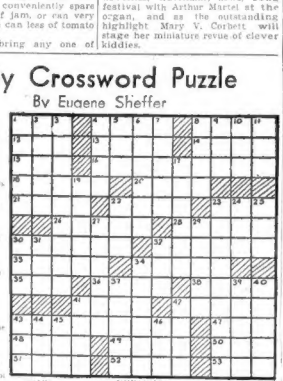
The newest battler to step up to the plate, and we think it will be a home run hit, is Manager Max Michaels of Minsky's Park Theater. The entire theater has been set aside for a special midnight show Friday night, December 21, proceeds of which are to be given to the basket fund.

Bands from the leading night clubs, entire floor shows, vaudeville acts, have consented to aid. All these will appear in addition to the regular Minsky Burlesque Show.

A special Christmas children's party is also planned at the Park for Saturday afternoon, December 22 after the regular performance. The cast from chorus to principals will play host to the needy children, fitting them with shoes. Santa Claus also is scheduled to appear.

Daily Crossword Puzzle

By Eugene Sheffer



HORIZONTAL

1—Involuntary twitching
4—Island east of Java
9—Crustacean
12—Pace
13—Tumult
14—Poison
15—Human beings
16—Children of both mother and father
18—Walked with measured step
20—Mohammedan priest
21—Medal
22—Mass
25—Interment
27—Fortification
28—Decree of the nation
33—Framework
34—More lacking in worldly goods
35—Crane
36—Commonplace
37—Moat
38—Persian port
40—Undermine
41—Desolation
42—Room under the roof
43—Insect larvae
47—Winged part
48—Meadows
49—Feminine name
50—Short sleep
51—Annual season of fasting
52—Sinks in the middle
53—Take to court

VERTICAL

1—Drives in by a succession of light blows
2—Existing in imagination only
3—Covenant
4—Thin, small nail
5—Be affected with pain
6—Liquid medicinal preparation
7—Newspaper paragraphs
8—Stuff
9—Subject to pressure
10—Everything
11—Stinging insect
17—Fixed daily allowance
19—Wide-mouthed pitchers
22—Dance step
23—Thin muslins
24—Poem
25—Through
27—Deviation from a direct course
29—Cook by exposure before a leather fire
30—City of the crow
31—Hill
32—Established value
37—Unit of distance
39—Oriental dish of rice boiled with meat
40—Down, as of a feather
41—Respite
42—Finds the total
44—Ride
45—Convert into
46—Carriage with its horses

YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS

Turn to the classified page today, and select the rental ad that appeals to you. Then go to E. R. White Company, and consult with Barbara Malmen. She will have you both time and money.

MORE APPEALS FOR HUNGRY CHILDREN

Still the appeals pour in. Here are more cases deserving the help of Goodfellows through the Boston Evening American Christmas Basket Fund. Won't YOU see that some of these pathetic requests are answered with a real Christmas dinner?

CASE 39

I am a young mother who expects her sixth baby in February and I am writing to plead for a basket for Christmas, as the children are all looking forward to Christmas and I am heart-broken as I do not know which way to turn. I get welfare and after I pay my rent and electric, I only have $6 a little left.

My children, God only knows how destitute they are. Sometimes I look them over and often wonder is life worth the living. One day is like another. I have been to the hospital and they tell me I need milk and tonations in my system for the new baby but God help this one and my others as we have no milk for anyone of us. I have not one thing in clothes or blankets for the new baby. I am about crazy.

I am trying to write this with a broken pen and some bluing. Please do not forget us. Come and investigate anytime. I have been in bed a week with bronchitis. Six months ago I had pneumonia. It is so cold here. We have no coal. Please help me for I am desperate.

This mother lives in Roxbury. Anyone who wishes to help her may do so by calling the Christmas Basket Editor, Liberty 4000, and ask for case No. 39.

CASE 40

I am writing to ask you that my children, ranging from five to 15 will not be forgotten this Christmas, as my husband has not been working for four years, only ERA work at $12 a week. After we pay rent, light, fuel, and my husband's carfare and lunch money out of that we are lucky to have a loaf of bare bread, and let me tell you there are plenty of times we do not have even that.

Both my son and myself are under the doctor's care and we have to miss a month at a time for our treatments on account of no carfares. Most of the time we have to walk to the City Hospital.

When I look at my children, cold and half-starved, there are times when I feel like throwing up the sponge altogether. If my husband didn't have to take carfare it would mean just a few more loaves of bread for us. Tomorrow he will have to walk to work on a project away out in the Chestnut Hill Playgrounds with nothing more than a slice of bare bread and a cup of black coffee. As for milk, it is over a year since there was a bottle of milk in our house. If it had not been for the church giving me an order slip for one dollar, I wouldn't even have had a slice of bread to give my children on Thanksgiving. The day before we had a nickel loaf of bread to divide amongst the whole family. We need a Christmas basket.

This mother lives in Charlestown. Anyone who wishes to help her may do so by calling the Christmas Basket Editor, Liberty 4000, and ask for case No. 40.

CASE 41

My husband is out of work five years and I'm mother of five children and it's kind of hard to support a family of seven. I'm under the doctor's care for two months for a sickness which I had 18 years. So I cant' afford a Christmas basket for my poor little ones, if you can provide clothing for my children I'll be very glad to have them as my boy 15 years old wears his father's shoes and when he gets home from school he gives them back to him so my husband can get some air outdoors. He needs coat, shoes and pants.

I have five children, Joseph 15, Florence 14, Anna age 11, Bobby age 8, Rosie age 6. Anything will do for them to keep them warm when they go to school.

Please don't forget me this Christmas. Please don't forget them at this time of need. We are depending on you.

This mother lives in the North End. Anyone wishing to help her may do so by calling the Christmas Basket Editor, Liberty 4000, and ask for case No. 41.

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Aunt Jemima Lou Ashe

Just as in the case of the Mayfair party last Sunday night, which was a huge success, proceeds of the Brown Derby show will go to the Boston Evening American Christmas Basket Fund to supply Christmas dinners to the less fortunate.

Stage, radio, screen and cabaret stars will be in the Brown Derby show, including Harry Einstein the "Nick Parkyakakas" of the air; Ranny Weeks and his RKO Ganz of Keith stars; the floor shows of the Mayfair and the Cascades Roof, and entertainers of the theater currently playing in Boston.

Lou Ash will be master of ceremonies, and a good time is promised all who attend in this worthy cause. After the show there will be dancing from midnight until 2 a. m.

Come to the Brown Derby next Sunday night in aid of the Christmas Basket Fund!

Fake Doctor Gets 60 Days in Jail

Harry J. Simpson, 50, of Myrtle street, Beacon Hill, was sentenced to 60 days in the house of correction in East Cambridge district court when he pleaded guilty of posing as a physician, and passing worthless checks.

During the trial, it developed that the one known instance when he used his identity as a doctor to write a prescription, for an asthma sufferer, he had advocated a proper remedy.

Bill:—Take a tip from me and watch the Automobile-For-Sale columns of the American and Advertiser for real bargains in good used cars.

WHARF REPAIR FUNDS NEEDED

With a PWA allottment of $896,000 on hand for repairs to the docks at South Boston Army Base, army engineers have announced that $5,000,000 more is needed to recondition other important wharfs in Boston Harbor, now fast being rotted and eaten away by marine pests.

A cyclical change in the climate, resulting in warmer water, is also said to cause more rapid deterioration than formerly.

ILL MAN'S WIFE NEAR DEATH

Mrs. Bertha Cohen, 37, whose husband, Hyman Cohen, is confined to Sharon sanitarium, is on the danger list at City Hospital from the effects of illuminating gas. She was found unconscious at her home on Browning avenue, Dorchester, and taken to the hospital in a police wagon. On the way, patrolman Peter Murphy revived her.

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CRIME CONFERENCE MILD AS MILK

OPENING SESSION LIKE FIRST NIGHT AT OPERA

By WINIFRED BLACK
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Washington, Dec. 12—Mild as milk—gentle as the cooing of a dovecote—this was the atmosphere in which the crime clinic started.

The opening session looked like a first night at a favorite opera—not too serious an opera mind you.

Something like Carmen or La Boheme—there was a glisten of soft silk and a gleam of white shirt fronts that made the affair rather festive to begin with.

No one, to look at the assemblage, would dream that a great nation was beginning a desperate fight in a civil war with criminals on one side and honest, decent folks on the other.

GLASSES GLITTER

The pale glitter of multitudinous pairs of spectacles here and there in the crowded audience told the on-looking world that the professors were there in battle scientific array.

The social workers were also among those present.

They looked at each other with bright smiles of intelligent understanding whenever some speaker said something about the psychology of crime or called a bad boy socially deficient and declared benignly that he was subject to "conduct disorders."

Attorney-General Cummings made a pleasant and reasonable speech in which he said that the Department of Justice could do this job of dealing with criminals and do it well if the people of the United States really want it done.

PALE RADIANCE

When the platform was suddenly illuminated by the pale radiance of President Roosevelt's handsome face the band did not have to play "See, the Conquering Hero Comes" to get the audience to its rather festively attired feet.

Before the first bar of that inspiring anthem began the crowd rose as one man.

The President's speech was well delivered, but somehow it seemed as if he had not found time to become especially interested in crime and criminology.

His vital and magnetic personality dominated the assemblage like a lighted fire on a cold hearth—but there was no special appeal in what he really said.

Procedures were really a little dull—there's no denying it, they really were.

FLESH AND BLOOD

J. Edgar Hoover made a good practical straight from the shoulder talk. He spoke of the Federal men who had been murdered by the gangsters as if they were real men of flesh and blood and not just automatons to be shot by a far away and invisible government.

Mr. Hoover wants some provision made for the wives and families of the men who died at the hands of the gangsters and he would like to see public opinion make heroes of these men and not of the cruel cowards who shoot them down.

Mr. Hoover is not in favor of easy parole—he seems to be of the opinion that the life of one decent citizen is worth a good deal more than a few years of a convicted felon's existence.

Hoover is a vigorous young man who looks as if he would like a good fight himself and he is said to be the greatest fingerprint expert in the world.

Judge Cleveland Hoffman of Cincinnati intoned a fine far away eulogy on the modern attempt to psychologize crime.

Judge Hoffman's voice was low and sweet, like that of a character in a rather well known song, but those of us who strained an attentive ear gathered that the judge was merely interested in the excuse of crime than in any determined attempt to control it.

Some ignorant and injudicious person sitting within range of my hearing whispered something about a good, smart nightstick in the hands of a good active policeman as a possible method of control of the juvenile gangster.

Or, perhaps, murmured the same outrageous being, if father would take the matter of the boy's "unsocial conduct" in hand when Lizzie on the block reported the boy's determination to steal every apple and every banana off the corner fruit stand—perhaps there would be not so much need of psychopathic insight in the problem of the boy.

HINTS AT STORIES

Mr. John J. Bennett, Jr., attorney general of New York state, generalized rather well about commercial racketeering. He hinted that he had some wonderful stories, authentic ones, too, about commercial racketeers and their victims—I think we all wished he would have told us some of these stories and let us indulge our human desire to be either shocked or grieved or astonished—just a little bit.

Dr. Sheldon Glueck of Harvard University was rather simple and straightforward—for a professor. He used words that the average man in the street could understand every once in a while.

Gordon Dean, special attorney of the United States Department of Justice, made some good practical suggestions as to state compacts which would keep criminals from making a joke of crime by running from one state to another like a boy playing hopskotch on a broad and well marked sidewalk.

There was some little discussion but nothing particularly stirring came from them.

TEN GALLON HATS

As we left the comfortable and rather ornamental hall where the meeting was held we passed two United States marshals from the Southwest.

We knew they were from the Southwest because they wore 10 gallon hats and had other marks of distinction very easy to read.

"Buddy," said the black haired sheriff to the blondish sheriff. "I certainly wish these gentlemen—" an to near the way he pronounced gent el l-me n n was worth a whole course in Owen Wister.

"I wish that these gentlemen," said he, "would stop chasing rainbows and get out and tell us how they're going to help us chase crooks."

"Sure," said the blond sheriff—"sure."

And he searched the landscape for some small target—found it in a bit of fast melting snow, reached it with the accuracy of long practice and repeated in his musical drawl, "Sure do."

GET THEIR MAN

But what can these unlettered citizens of the far and unfettered West know of psychology and psychiatry, either criminal or otherwise?

All they want to do is to get their man and see that their man gets justice.

I do hope that before the conference is over they will feel that they have not been subject to the effete East entirely in vain.

I hear that the newspapers are in for a trouncing.

That's nice—the overworked reporters will be roused from their slumber and allowed to get a story that might possibly be interesting reading. And that, said the duchess, might possibly make a few of us sit up quite straight and listen quite hard.

GOLD WARNING BY MUSSOLINI

By Associated Press

Milan, Italy, Dec. 12—Italy's lira is on the gold standard to stay and persons who pass rumors to the contrary will be punished severely, Premier Mussolini's newspaper, Popolo D'Italia, assured the nation today.

A rumored further six per cent cut in government salaries, it said, is untrue because "at the present time costs of living are going up."

A rumored tax on coupons for consolidated bonds and other pensions is "grotesque, because the bond conversion last February brought a 30 per cent reduction in the income of bondholders."

The lira is on the gold standard and will remain so, said Il Duce's organ. "The drastic measure taken at the last council of ministers is more eloquent than any discord could be on governmental policy"—this was a measure making the government overseer and controller of every cent of Italian money invested abroad.

BABY ILLNESS LAID TO CELL

Mayor Richard M. Russell announced today that he had requested John J. Terry, superintendent of public buildings, to explain to him a group of alleged facts brought to the mayor's attention.

The mayor stated that he had been informed that last Monday, Emily Carlos, 33, of Elm street, Cambridge had been arrested and brought to police headquarters with her four weeks old baby girl, Lillian.

The mother and child were then placed in a cell in the woman's block at headquarters and kept there from 11 a. m. Monday until 9 a. m. Tuesday, it is alleged.

When they were taken to East Cambridge district court, Tuesday morning, the baby was found to be suffering from bronchitis and was immediately taken to the Cambridge City Hospital.

Texas Track Owner Dies

Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 12—W. T. Waggoner, 82, pioneer cattleman, is dead at his home in Rivercrest. He was the owner of Arlington Downs' race track.

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National Crime Institute to Combat Rackets Looms

By International News Service

Washington, Dec. 12—Greater authority to the Federal Government in the drive against crime loomed today as the result of the national crime conference in session here.

Under the direction of the Department of Justice, a national institute of criminology appeared to be in the making as the delegates continued their efforts to decide on a constructive program to combat crime. Racketeering and crime cost 13 billions of dollars in this country annually.

The conference was told of the need for more effective co-ordination of the activities of police and prosecuting officers of the various states. While George Z. Medalie, former U. S. district attorney in New York, pointed to the system of county government as inefficient in law enforcement, Gilbert Settman of Cincinnati urged the retention of this form of local government.

Medalie recommended a central investigative organization for all the states, and to be as effective as the Department of Justice.

"The detective bureau of the average large city, except for a few mechanical devices at police headquarters, is little different today from what it was 20 years ago," said Medalie. "No matter how honest and energetic, its work is limited to the crude, hard, old-fashioned police routine. A central organization as effective as our national Department of Justice, in both its investigating and prosecuting aspects, must be developed."

Ferdinand Pecora, a member of the Federal Securities & Exchange Commission, and former counsel for the Senate banking committee, urged the elimination of the laws giving the defendant the privilege to decline to testify in a criminal case, and the requirement of a unanimous verdict of a jury. In criminal cases he favors a vote of 10 jurors to convict instead of all 12.

Resolutions commending the Department of Justice for its anti-crime campaign and requests that the conference go on record as favoring a study of juvenile delinquency have been made from the floor.

Speakers for today include J Weston Allen, Boston.

National Crime Bureau Asked by Murphy

Washington, Dec. 12—Proposals calling for creation of a national crime prevention bureau and for establishment of an agency to cooperate with agencies of publicity in behalf of law enforcement officials were presented to the national crime conference today by United States Marshal John J. Murphy of Massachusetts.

Murphy listed poverty, idleness and disease as the foremost causes of crime, with lack of proper home life and religious training as contributing factors.

BRITON TO HEAD SAAR PATROL

By International News Service

Geneva, Dec. 11—The League of Nations Council today named Colonel Geoffrey Knox of Britain, chairman of its Saar commission, to be commander-in-chief of an international army of 3500 men that four powers will send to the Saar to maintain order during the plebiscite on January 13.

The international force, composed of 1500 British, 1500 Italian, 250 Dutch and 250 Swedish soldiers, will be installed in the Saar territory by December 22 and will remain until shortly after the plebiscite, at which Saarlanders will decide whether to return to Germany, become part of France, or remain under league mandate. Reunion with Germany is the generally expected result.

Composer's Wife Ends Life

Vienna, Dec. 12 (INS)—Mrs. Bertha Fall, widow of the noted composer, Leo Fall, committed suicide today by taking poison.

WIVES, BABIES ARE VICTIMS OF GAMBLING

The American working-man, his wife—and in some cases, his children—are depriving themselves of nearly $800,000,000 a year by risking their pocket money on the "Policy" or "Numbers" racket, Sweepstakes, Speculative Stocks, Bagatelle, Horse Racing, Poker, Bridge, Slot Machines and other petty gambling rackets.

The petty gambling racketeers, stepping from betting to other profitable sources of illicit revenue, are muleting the people in games of chance in which the odds are from 100 to 1 to a million to 1 against the player.

By LOU WEDEMAR
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New York, Dec. 12—The U. S. postal authorities, in their new drive against foreign sweepstakes gambling, have closed American mails to 534 agents of the Irish Hospital sweep, the Canadian and Calcutta sweeps, and other big sweeps based on horse races.

But have they killed the sale of tickets—at $2.50 a throw? They have not—tickets are being smuggled into the United States daily.

Irish hospital sweepstakes tickets are selling in the United States at the rate of $100,000 a week—illegally. The money goes to Ireland and only a small percentage sees America again. And thousands of the tickets sold here are fakes, printed and "watermarked" by the petty gyp racketeers. Rare is the workingman with a little loose cash who won't buy a ticket—rarer is the winner!

"Policy" racketeers accept bets as small as five cents—in some localities, from children, as small as a penny.

"Policy," in which the odds are 1000 to 1 or more against the player, is perhaps the meanest and yet most flourishing of the present-day American gambles. It costs New York clerks, laborers, waiters and housewives $500,000 a week, $100,000 a week in Boston, and others throughout the United States, $900,000 a week more—$78,000,000 a year for the nation.

The slot-machine racket, which cost 35 lives in New York in the last decade, has been virtually cut in this city. But over the rest of the country it reigns supreme, taking $500,000 to $1,000,000 a week in nickels, dimes and quarters—with the odds in most cases incalculably against the player, for most machines are so fixed that the Jackpot—which pays $5 for a 5-cent bet—cannot be won. Tests have shown 10-1 to 50-to-1 odds against the player.

(Tomorrow—Reports from various cities on gambling conditions).

House Deadlock Broken by Fire

By Associated Press

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 12—The fire which destroyed the Hotel Kerns, taking, among others, the lives of two Republican and one Democratic representatives, who would have been members of the Legislature taking office in January, broke a 50-50 deadlock in the House and gave Democrats a probable slender majority of 49 to 48.

Special elections to fill the vacancies cannot be held until after the House is organized.

The re-elected Republican representatives who died were Donald W. Sias, Midland, and John Goodwine, Marlette. The re-elected Democrat who perished was Representative Charles D. Parker, Otisville.

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AMERICAN BROADTAIL (proc. lamb) gray, very youthful coat	$115	$47
MUSKRAT, collar, cuffs, border of dark muskrat, body of silver	$95	$48
BLACK CARACUL smart town coat, molded-to-the-body style	$125	$56
SILVER MUSKRAT, crush collar of deep pile Canadian Beaver	$100	$57
LEOPARD CAT Swaggers, nicely spotted and charactered	$175	$66
DARK MUSKRAT, shawl and bolster collars of Canadian Beaver	$125	$66
KAFFA CARACUL, with smart wind-blown collars	$125	$66
BROWN PONY Swaggers, ¾ length, sporty and dashing	$125	$66
SILVER MUSKRAT, deep cape collar, Russian Fitch	$135	$67
AMERICAN BROADTAIL (processed lamb) Wolf set-back collar	$175	$67
DARK RACCOON, fan and shawl collars	$125	$67
BLACK PONY, flat moire skins, Pointed Fox collar	$195	$76
BLACK CARACUL, fitted back, Silver Fox collar	$175	$78
AMERICAN BROADTAIL (proc. lamb) with Siberian Squirrel	$175	$80
SQUIRREL, tight-fitted back, with wind-blown fan collar	$178	$83
BLACK CARACUL with Silver Fox roll shawl collar	$165	$84
HUDSON SEAL (dyed muskrat) selected lustrous black pelts	$165	$84
DARK RACCOON high-waisted, smartly styled, satin lining	$165	$93
KAFFA PONY, collar of Beaver	$285	$94
SQUIRREL, fitted back, fan collar	$195	$96
LEOPARD CAT collar of Canadian Beaver	$195	$98
JAPANESE MINK, fan collar, styled in French diagonal manner	$225	$94
MOIRE CARACUL, Blue Fox collar and cuffs	$235	$99
CHOICE RACCOON, many seven and nine-skin borders	$245	$117
HUDSON SEAL (dyed musk't) smart collar of beige and wh. ermine	$295	$118
JAP MINK cape or shawl collar, English Staircase circular manner	$295	$126
BLACK CARACUL, with Silver Fox, let down to give ev'n'g cape	$245	$127
HUDSON SEAL (dyed muskrat) collar of Sable-dyed Kolinsky	$275	$127
LEOPARD, exquisitely marked, with Canadian Beaver	$245	$127
BROWN CARACUL, deep pile Canad'n Beaver cape shawl collar	$295	$136
SILVER CARACUL Persian-dyed, moired, lustrous pelts	$395	$148
GREY CARACUL, Princess De Rohan collar of lustr's platinum Fox	$345	$157
MINK PAW English Box Swagger	$450	$178
BLACK CARACUL, moired pelts, imperial Silver Fox shawl collar	$395	$188
BLACK United States Government ALASKAN Sealskin	$425	$197
GENUINE BEAVER, aristocratic coat	$495	$227
RUSSIAN CARACUL, brown with choice blue fox	$595	$266
RUSSIAN CARACUL, black, with detachable Silver Fox cape	$575	$275
DARK MINK, beautifully matched pelts, extremely youthful style	$995	$499
MINK, silky, lustrous pelts carefully manipulated by master furriers	$1275	$666
MINK, with detachable cape collar, for sports or evening	$2250	$1275

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RUINS STILL BLAZE AS SEARCH GOES ON FOR HOTEL DEAD

STARK RUINS—Still smouldering embers were all that remained today of the Lansing hotel where death rode the flames. In foreground is river where victims drowned.

SAVED FROM DEATH—A three-story leap saved this survivor, who is shown being rushed to an ambulance by firemen and volunteers. He lived though badly hurt.

HELP CAME TOO LATE—This man, trapped in the Kerns Hotel, Lansing, Michigan, perished when fire broke out at 5:30 a. m. Firemen are pictured carrying out his body. Many of the dead drowned when they plunged into the icy Grand river in the rear of the building.

AIRPLANE VIEW—The Lansing, Michigan, hotel death trap. In less than 20 minutes after the alarm was first sounded the walls collapsed, carrying helpless, screaming guests down into the inferno. Women, their hair ablaze, ran screaming up and down the halls, vainly seeking exit, survivors said. Few had time to don clothing and scores of the 190 guests suffered frozen feet. More than 30 were in hospitals today, their condition reported to be serious. Six of the dead were Michigan legislators, who were on hand for a special session of the legislature that was to have opened yesterday.

BETTY VAN DYNE "STOUT FELLA, DAD"—Here is Miss Betty Van Dyne at Lansing, Mich., visiting the hospital bedside of her father, F. E.

F. E. VAN DYNE Van Dyne, who saved his life in the Kern Hotel fire by jumping from a third story window.

CRIES DIED AWAY—The front wall of the doomed Kerns Hotel toppled into the incandescent mass of flame, carrying hapless guests to an awful death. The building burned to a shell before firemen brought the flames under control. Today police searched the red hot ruins for bodies of those still missing, though identification of the 20 believed buried in the ashes was feared to be impossible. (Pictures from International News Photograph Service.)

These Exclusive Pictures From International News Photograph Service

THEATERS IN BOSTON, LYNN AND PAWTUCKET BLOWN UP

MAJESTIC AND TREMONT ARE BOMBED HERE

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six-inch length of wick, partially charred the other end damp with what may be nitroglycerine. They also found metal bits which appeared to be part of a pipe. Metal was also found in the wreckage in the Capitol in Lynn.

Time bombs, infernal machines constructed to explode by clock arrangement at a certain hour, are believed to have been used in each instance.

Officials Move to Prevent More Blasts

The state department of public safety, the state fire marshal's office and Boston police at once began a search for the bombers and took steps to prevent further terrorism of this nature which has been experienced in other sections of the country but never before here.

The explosions occurred within a period of one hour and 10 minutes, indicating existence of a definite widespread plot.

At exactly 4 o'clock the first bomb exploded in the lobby of the Tremont Theater at 176 Tremont street, blowing the ticket booth to splinters, wrecking the lobby walls and doors, raising the outside sidewalk several inches and smashing nearby windows, including those in Child's restaurant, where there were a score of diners.

Guests in the nearby Touraine and Bradford Hotels were aroused. Across the Common in the State House the blast was so loud that guards began a search of the building there.

Second Blast Comes In Few Minutes

The second warning of a general terrorist plot came a few minutes later when a bomb exploded in the balcony of the Capitol Theater, Main street, Pawtucket, wrecking a concrete projection booth, a large section of seats and tearing great chunks from the walls and ceiling of the auditorium.

At 4:30 came the third explosion, in the Capitol Theater in Union street, Lynn. The bomb apparently had been left there in the men's smoking room under the orchestra floor. It ripped out walls and furnishings. The detonation was heard for a radius of several miles.

At 5:10 came the fourth and final blast in the men's smoking room of the Majestic Theater, 219 Tremont street. This blew out one entire wall and reduced the room to wreckage.

Alice Gallagher — Annie Astot

Owners of the four theaters bombed have had difficulties with labor, in the Boston theaters very recently.

The Majestic and the Tremont, recently acquired by the Fred Z. Lieberman interests are said to have clashed with one union organization at an NRA code hearing after employing members of another union.

Non-Union Labor Employed, Report

The two Capitol theaters are the property of E. M. Loew of Boston, employing a majority of nonunion labor. Loew and Lieberman have no business connection, they said. Loew has many theaters throughout New England, and police placed them all under guard.

These included two houses at Portland, Me.

The tip resulting in the South End raid came from a Boston Elevated motorman who reported to police that at 5:30 at Boylston street a young man boarded his car and was heard to say:

"They bombed the Tremont. Some of those —— theaters sho-'' be closed."

This man left the car at B street, South Boston.

A dozen police participated in the raid. The cartridges seized had not been exploded. Further search was made for shells from which the power might have been taken. The motorman went to headquarters to attempt to identify the son arrested as the man who rode in his car.

Another important tip came to police from Jerome Jerome of the interests controlling the Majestic, Tremont and Columbia. He said that at 11 o'clock last night he visited the Columbia just before it closed and his suspicion was aroused by a man who remained behind the departing crowd.

He went to him and asked him if he could assist him out. The man answered:

"You ——, you'll find a way out yourself before morning."

The information caused a thorough search at the Columbia.

One angle of the investigation was the reported failure of the Boston police bureau of operations to broadcast a radio message regarding the first bombing. Such a message would at least have placed police in cruising cars on the alert and might have led to discovery of the second bomb in time to avert an explosion.

Both Boston explosions were felt by early morning workers in the Boylston street subway station and the Boston Elevated began an immediate inspection to determine whether any serious damage resulted to the subway. None was immediately found.

The Tremont is located opposite the entrance to the station. When the Tremont bomb exploded, many in the tunnel feared the walls were collapsing.

Two Women Hurt In Majestic Blast

Two scrubwomen were at work in the Majestic when the bomb went off. They were thrown to the floor, cut and bruised. They were Mrs. Annie Ascot of Common street and Mrs. Alice Gallagher of Emerald street.

Injured slightly by the Tremont blast were William Williamson, 24, of Virginia street, Somerville, and Harry Mendlov, 27, Gaston street, Roxbury. They were thrown from scaffolders on which they were at work fixing strips of felt along the tops of the doors. Williamson is a carpenter and Mendlov an engineer employed at the Tremont.

The threat to blast the Bradford Hotel in Tremont street with all of its occupants came to Lieutenant Edward Mitton of Division 4 of the Boston police.

A strange voice on the telephone which could not be traced, told the lieutenant that the hotel was next in the dynamiting.

He immediately rushed a special detail to the hotel and had inspectors search the building from top to bottom.

Lieutenant Edward Selboldt, ballistics expert of the Boston police department, was summoned to the scenes of the Boston explosions with other explosive experts of the department.

Three deputy state fire marshals arrived early on the scene to check damage done to the theaters. Meyer Waterhouse, chemist of the Boston fire department, also was present, soon after the bombing, and began a search for fragments of the bombs.

Building Commissioner Edward Roemer checked up on the damage but declined to make any statement.

At station 4, Warren avenue, Inspector John F. McCarthy, of the homicide division at headquarters, with William J. Shanahan, police stenographer and James R. Claffin, newly appointed deputy superintendent of police.

The Majestic scrubwomen told police that they had not seen anyone in the building after they arrived shortly after the last show let out at 11:30 o'clock.

Windows in the building housing the Tremont Theater were blown out as high up as the fourth floor.

The entire front of the structure was destroyed, with pieces of the wreckage flying across the street to the common.

Two taxi drivers were parked directly across the street from the Tremont when the bomb went off.

They gave their names as Edward Latterner, 26 of 25 Canton street South End, and Lester Rimmer, 23 of 30 Franklin street, Everett.

Latterner said he was looking directly at the front entrance of the theater. A red flare, followed immediately by a loud "Boom" brought a crowd of nearly 50 people rushing to the scene, he said, in spite of the early hour.

Front Doors, Signs Blown to Pieces

The front doors were blown to pieces, and the heavy sign over the entrance, with lettering announcing the picture showing, was knocked loose.

Latterner said he turned in a fire alarm at once.

A police cruising car was parked less than two blocks away, he said. It headed for the scene.

An inspection of the interior of the Tremont showed a clutter of debris, bits from the first floor ceiling, the interior decorations and fragments from the stairs, heaped together in a chaotic pile.

A fire broke out in the basement, but was put under control by firemen, who answered Latterner's alarm.

Charles Gueitt, 49, of 137 Featmore street, Somerville, the night watchman, and Eddie Martin of 176 Tremont street were not working at the time. Martin was asleep, he said, and was buried to the floor from his couch where he had been sleeping.

Several night workers from all-night restaurants in the vicinity were leaving for their homes just a few minutes before the blast occured, and narrowly missed being showered with falling mortar and glass as they hurried by.

Passengers in a passing west bound subway train reported that they distinctly felt the tremble of the ground.

Residents as far apart as Beacon Hill and Back Bay said they heard the noise and felt the tremblors that followed the explosion.

Edward Latterner — Lester Rimmer

The distinctive odor of explosives was smelled by several passersby, and individuals in the crowd which promptly assembled.

District Fire Chief Dennis Coughlin, said that the wreck was caused by a bomb.

Taxi Driver Sees Door Blown Out

E. C. Daffin, who was walking on the other side of Tremont street, said that he saw a "red flare, and heard a rumbling blast."

Immediately afterward, he said, he was showered by flying glass, and the whole front of the building seemed to have been caving in.

In Lynn the time bomb, placed in the men's room in the basement of the Capitol Theater on Union street, exploded with such force as to lift the floor above it four or five inches for an area of about 30 square feet, Lynn police said.

Lieberman was called to Boston from his Lowell home and questioned by Deputy Superintendent Claffin and other police officials at Station 4.

When police learned he also controlled the Columbia theater in Washington street, South End, a policeman was placed there.

Lieberman said:

"There are two explosions. That's the story."

He said that when he took over the Majestic and Tremont they had been closed for several days. He reopened them as picture houses, employing members of the Knights of Labor, a union organization which he said was affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

Ferd Lieberman

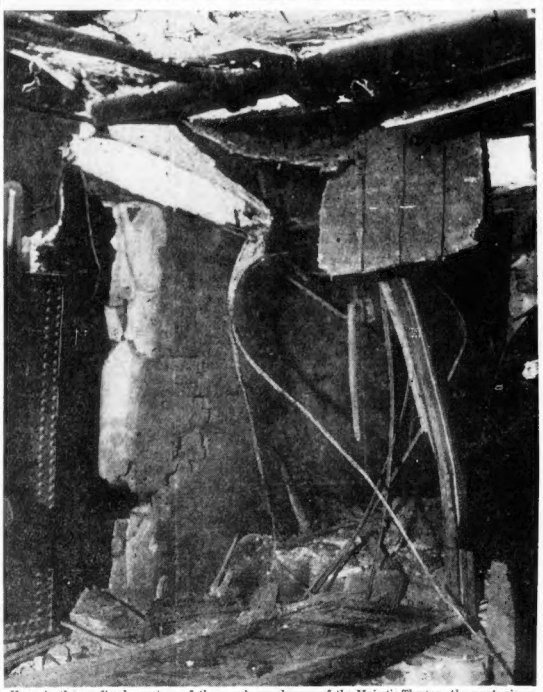
On December 4, he said, the Independent Alliance of Stage Hands formed an NRA theater code hearing in Boston, seeking to compel him to employ stage hand members of that organization at $60 and $65 a week.

Lieberman said he refused to do so and was upheld, as the only use he had for stage hands was to raise and lower fire curtains. Members of the "I. A." previously had been employed in these theaters, he said.

The controlling organization for his theatres is Greater Boston Theaters, Inc., of which Harry Richmond is head. Richmond attended the NRA hearing, he said. This organization took over the Tremont last August and the Majestic only last Friday.

At his Tremont street offices near the Tremont theater, E. M. Lowe said from what he had learned he was inclined to believe the explosion in his Lynn theater was caused by sewer gas. He said he did not know what caused the Pawtucket blast.

Bombers Leave Grim Trail of Destruction, Near Death, in Wrecked Boston Theaters



Here, in the confined quarters of the men's washroom of the Majestic Theater, the mysterious blast, believed a time bomb, had full chance to exert its terrific power. Note the extent to which floor, walls and ceilings alike are shattered.

This view of the Tremont Theater lobby, looking outward toward the street, shows from another angle the extent of the damage done by the explosion of what is thought to have been a nitroglycerin or dynamite time bomb. Only the height and open construction of the theater entrance made it possible for the blast to wreak its force without bringing all the front of the building down in ruins.

BLAST SEEN BY TAXI DRIVER

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suddenly walked across the street toward me, but when I raced my motor, as though ready to pick him up, he waved his hand in a sign that he didn't want a cab.

"He strolled, without haste, into the entrance of the subway and disappeared.

"Just then a fellow cabby, Lester Rimmer, 25, of 30 Franklin street, Everett, came up and asked for a 'push'

"As he did so, for some reason, I turned and looked at the theater. At that instant it seemed to disappear in a red flare, followed by a loud BOOM.

SHOWER OF GLASS

"The ticket booth, flush with the inside of the sidewalk, burst to bits, and a shower of glass from the marquee overhead, and from windows on the upper floors of the building cascaded to the sidewalk.

"I thought at once of the man who had been standing there but a moment before. I realized that I should have to describe him, and thought over what he looked like.

"He was tall, seemingly about six feet, and was dressed neatly in a dark blue overcoat, with a soft gray hat. He seemed to be in the early thirties."

Tremont Watchman Misses Death by 5 Minutes

Charles Vedilli, 137 Piedmont street, Somerville, Tremont Theater watchman, told the following story of the blast:

"I saved my life by five minutes. If I had been five minutes late in pulling that box (his watchman's signal) out in the foyer, I would have been blown to pieces. It seemed that I had no sooner laid down my watchman's box than I heard a terrific explosion, turned around and saw the spot where I had been standing a few minutes before in ruins.

"I became cold all over. I couldn't move for a few minutes. I dropped a broom that I was holding and didn't know which way to turn. After a while I saw there was nothing more going to happen and I approached the foyer. I looked up and saw the electric light bulbs in the three chandeliers had not been broken.

"At that time the firemen had broke in one of the doors and were filling the place. I put on the lights to show them the way around and then began answering their questions."

Edward Martin, porter, who lives in the theater, declared:

"My bed seemed to come up in the middle and push me out on the floor. I grabbed my trousers and, without putting on any shoes, I ran for the nearest exit. This was by the stairs leading to the street. The stairs were littered with wreckage and the front door had been blown off the hinges. Smoke filled the entire areaway.

"I thought a steam pipe had broken and I started back into the theater, but stopped because I was afraid of the falling timbers. I waited a few minutes, then went upstairs and dressed fully, and came down and helped the police."

M. S. P. C. A. Bazaar

The Copley-Plaza today was the scene of an all-day bazaar of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. It was the 14th annual fair conducted to raise funds for the society's work.

Women in Theater Tell of Blast in Majestic

Mrs. Alice Gallagher, 26 Emerald street, South End, Majestic Theater employe, said:

"It was shortly after 4 o'clock. Mrs. Asdot (Mrs. Annie Asdot, 45 Concord street, South End, also employed at the Majestic) and I had just finished our lunch and were having our tea. We then went to the smoking room to get a carpet sweeper we had left there when there was a terrible noise like a cannon.

"A sharp odor almost overcame us, and we ran out, starting for the Tremont Theater, where we knew some of the men would be unaware that it had been bombed."

Edward Shanley, 28 Albemarle street, Arlington Heights, who was polishing windows of a restaurant directly across the street from the Majestic Theater, said:

"I heard the explosion and saw women run out of the theater, but I saw no flame, so I continued my work until some policemen arrived on the scene. I fixed the time of the explosion at 4 o'clock in response to their questions."

William Williamson, 14 Virginia street, Somerville, who was repairing a door in the orchestra pit of the Tremont Theater at the time of the bombing, stated:

"I was standing on a stepladder placing a piece of felt on the top of the door when I heard the sharp, sudden explosion and felt the concussion. I was knocked from the ladder and fell to the floor, but was not hurt.

"A cloud of smoke and dust immediately settled over the entire orchestra pit. I ran to the front of the theater and saw the whole place a mass of wreckage. I did not know what to do. I ran to a side entrance. Just then the police came in and I saw there was no danger, so I offered them my help."

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By Betty Alden

WHEN THE FIRST STIRRING CHORDS of the wedding march pealed forth in historic King's Chapel this afternoon, a lovely society bride was breathlessly poised in the back of the church, clasping her father's arm, and waiting for the procession of her attendants to start down the aisle . . . Her long tulle veil was arranged over the satin train of her cream-colored gown and she carried a bouquet of calla lilies . . .

MRS. JAMES Jos. HAMMOND

A few steps ahead of her, the bridal attendants, gowned in garnet crepe gowns, with brown hats and carrying beaver muffs, began to move slowly past the rows of guests who had gathered for the wedding of Miss Katherine Bradlee Davis to James R. Hammond . . .

The bride, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Lincoln Davis of Beacon street, was attended by her sister, Miss Emily Davis, Miss Ethel Hooper Grew and Louise Crowninshield, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Davis Crowninshield of Exeter street, as flower girl.

Mr. Lincoln Davis, Jr., attended the bridegroom as best man, and the ushers were the Messrs. John Wright Adie, Robert Fuller, Richard Almy, John Morrill and W. Davis Taylor . . . The Rev. Palfrey Perkins performed the marriage ceremony . . .

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Reception at Home

After the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents . . . Mrs. Davis attended the wedding gowned in black crepe, brightened with rose lame trimming, and a black hat . . .

The bride is a graduate of the Ethel Walker School and has attended the Museum School of Art . . . She made her debut in the 1929-30 season and is a member of the Junior League and Vincent Club.

Mr. Hammond is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Crowninshield Hammond of Brookline . . . He was graduated from St. Paul's and is a member of the Tennis and Racquet Club, The Brookline Country Club and the Eastern Yacht Club . . .

Following their honeymoon the young couple will make their home in Boston . . .

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Olivia Osborne to Make Debut

A LARGE DINNER WILL PRECEDE the presentation dance at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel this evening, at which Mrs. James J. Storrow will introduce her grandniece, Miss Olivia Osborne, who with her sister, Miss Hope Osborne, makes her home with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grew of Boston and Dover . . .

Among the debutantes who have been invited to dinner with Miss Osborne are Miss Alice Spaulding, Miss Hope Blanchard, Miss Florence Bowditch, Miss Elizabeth Brooks, Miss Daphne Brooks, Miss Constance Bader, Miss Louise Harding, Miss Maria B. Ducey, Miss Olivia Stone, Miss Ardelle Moseley, Miss Hazel Wightman, Miss Margaret Hardwick and Miss Cora Weld Peabody . . .

Miss Geraldine Field, who was to have attended, will be prevented from participating in any of her sister debs' affairs for several days, due to illness . . . Others who will be at the dinner are Miss Celina Robbins, Miss Eleanor Williams, Miss Jean Tuckerman, Miss Jane Whitney, Miss Margaret Nye, Miss Eleanor Claflin . . .

A debutante from New York, Miss Louise Morgan, who has already been feted in this city, has come over for this auspicious party . . .

To the long list of ushers already published the name of C. E. Cheever has been added in place of Shepherd Brooks . . .

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Olive Perry Hostess at Dinner

MISS OLIVE PERRY will be dinner hostess to a group of friends, later taking her company on to the dance at the Ritz . . . Her guests will include Miss Mary Morison, Miss Polly Wardwell, Miss Ruth Edmands, Margaret Eustis, Miss Helen Foster, and the Messrs. Nathaniel Bowditch, Francis Brooks, Dunbar Carpenter, Henry Saltonstall, Charles Ewing, Charles Sturgis, Walter Tufts, Spencer Fulweiler, Mark Dall, Conover Fitch and Andre Reggio . . .

Other dinner hostesses will be Miss Caroline Hunnewell, Miss Frances Bird of East Walpole and Miss Nancy Holdsworth . . .

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Recital by Edna St. Vincent Millay

WEARING A TRAILING AFTERNOON GOWN of chartreuse velvet with a gold cord girdle and gold buttons, Miss Edna St. Vincent Millay, one of the world's most renowned poetesses and a Vassar graduate, read from her poems to a large audience in the Statler Ballroom yesterday afternoon . . . The reading was sponsored by the Vassar Alumnae Association of Boston of which Mrs. Alden K. Thresher is president . . . the latter in black velvet with matching beret was an informal hostess for the occasion, assisted by a group of Junior League ushers, including Mrs. William English in brown tweed dress, Miss Rue French, Miss Margaret Kenderdine in brown, Miss Esther Sears, Miss Susan Bradlee, Mrs. Lovett Morse and Miss Constance White . . .

Eleanor Jones

Glimpsed among the intent listeners: Miss Isabella Gardner, taking a respite from Junior League rehearsals and dressed in a gay green woolen outfit with a Tyrolean hat; Miss Nancy Whitman, wearing a long beaver coat; Miss Helen Fiske, in rust woolens; Miss Ruth St. Dennis, causing quite a stir as noted celebrities so often do, seated near the front with several escorts; Miss Eleanor Jones, leaving hurriedly, probably to meet her fiance; Mrs. Samuel Newman, Mrs. James R. Torbert in a unique costume combining grey krimmer with rose wool, Miss Shirley Eddy, Miss Winifred McDonald, Mrs. George Hoague, Mrs. Frederick E. Wood, Miss Gabriella Ladd in violet velvet, selling the treasured copies of Miss Millay's verse; Mrs. Charles A. Coolidge, Jr., Mrs. Albert A. Rice, Mrs. Gordon P. Marshall, Mrs. Chester N. Greenough, Mrs. Elvert A. Harvey, Mrs. John B. Hopkins, Mrs. Wilbur K. Jordan and Miss Marion Little.

MRS. CHARLES A. NEWHALL PRESIDES AT LUNCHEON OF BOARD

JUNIOR LEAGUERS JOIN WORKERS FOR EMERGENCY CAMPAIGN

MISS JOSEPHINE EMERY MISS MARY ELIZABETH HOWE MISS MARGARET KENDERDINE MISS VIRGINIA S. ELLIS

HERE ARE FOUR of the 12 Junior League members who ushered at the inaugural dinner of the emergency campaign at the Hotel Statler. They are Miss Josephine Emery, Miss Mary Elizabeth Howe, Miss Margaret Kenderdine and Miss Virginia S. Ellis. All are active in the affairs of the Junior League and devote much of their time to various charities which are sponsored by the league.

Nursing Work Outlined at Event

MRS. CHARLES A. NEWHALL of Brookline, president of the board of directors of the Brittany Coffee Shop, presided at a small luncheon yesterday given for members of the press at the Coffee Shop.

Mrs. Newhall, wearing a gray knitted suit with a soft angora scarf of rose, spoke briefly about the aims, accomplishments and the service to the community of the Household Nursing Association, which directs the Brittany Coffee Shop and the destinies of which are guided by so many well known names in society's ranks.

Mrs. T. Grafton Abbott, wearing olive green crepe with a tan broadtail cape and a unicorn hat was among the guests, as was Miss Ellen P. Moseley in brown, Mrs. Edgar J. Driscoll in vivid green, Miss Katharine Shepard and Miss Helen Gill, the latter two superintendents of the association's training school.

Included among the directors of this worthy organization are Mrs. Henry M. Channing, Mrs. Carl Dreyfus, Mrs. Joseph R. Coolidge, Mrs. Benjamin S. Blake, Mrs. John L. Ames, Mrs. John T. Bottomley, Mrs. David J. Evans, Mrs. Roger Pierce, Mrs. Henry D. Tudor, Mrs. Howard L. Rogers and Mrs. Charles T. Scudder.

Heads Appeal for Drive of Volunteers

MANY SOCIALLY PROMINENT people attended the 1314 cent luncheon given by the luncheon committee of the Volunteers of America under the chairmanship of Mrs. Alvan T. Fuller at the Penny Cafeteria on Brattle street yesterday.

After the satisfying luncheon several interesting speakers appealed to the guests for their support. Mr. J. A. O'Connell, chairman of the campaign committee, Mrs. Margaret Deland, authoress, Miss Mary Curley and Mr. Robert Dodge, president of the Massachusetts Bar Association, lent their voices to the appeal.

Guests at the luncheon included Colonel and Mrs. Walter Duncan, Miss Sarah Hyams, Mrs. William Brace Pratt of Milton, Mrs. Horace Morison, Mrs. Robert Gray Dodge, Mrs. Mortimer Seabury, Mrs. Edwin A. Grozier and Mrs. Robert Lincoln O'Brien.

Bazaar to Aid Campaign for Animals

THE 14th annual bazaar to benefit the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was held at the Copley Plaza from 10 to 6 today. Mrs. Edith Washburn Clarke, president of the women's auxiliary of the society, was chairman.

The articles for sale were very attractive and moderately priced. One of the special attractions of the day was a Japanese mondrama entitled "Cherry Blossoms" to be given at 4 o'clock by Miss Mildred Dann. Luncheon was served from 12 to 2 o'clock and bridge was played all day.

Chairmen of the various tables were: Food table, Mrs. Harry F. Cole; flower table, Miss Fanny Grey; Winchester table, Mrs. Richard Taylor; Taunton table, Mrs. Howard Woodward; candy table, Mrs. Charles Rowley white elephant table, Mrs. Agnes P. Fisher, assisted by Mrs. Alvard Nichols and Miss Effie M. Lynch.

Members of the various committees included Mrs. John A. Dykeman, Mrs. S. S. Sutcliffe, Mrs. R. J. Blakney, Mrs. J. J. Corbett, Mrs. A. H. Nichols, Mrs. Ralph Freeman, Mrs. George Crampton, Mrs. Prescott Wellman, Miss Emily Parker, Mrs. Grace Hatch, Mrs. Russel Mann, Miss Bessie Small, Mrs. Gladys Folts, Mrs. Nellie S. Barstow, Miss Alice Rowley, Mrs. A. L. Risley, Mrs. John Tyler, Mrs. Francis H. Rowley and Mrs. Helen Elliot.

Children's Party at B. U.

Members of the Y. W. C. A. at the Boston University college of liberal arts will be hostesses to 50 children at their annual Robbins Christmas party next Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Frances McIsaac Engaged to Wed

Allston Girl Will Marry John E. Tobin

IMPORTANT AMONG THE week's announcements is the news of the engagement of Miss Ethel Frances McIsaac, daughter of Mrs. Laura McIsaac of Allston to Mr. John E. Tobin of Manchester, New Hampshire.

Miss McIsaac was graduated from Boston University, College of Practical Arts and Letters. Mr. Tobin attended St. Anselm's College in Manchester and the Boston University Law school. He is a member of Sigma Delta Phi fraternity and has been elected to the Woolsack Honorary Society. He is a member of the New Hampshire bar and is state counsel for the Home Owner's Loan Corporation in New Hampshire. No date has been set for the wedding.

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Lecture

THE PROGRAM for Catholic Action under the sponsorship of the Philomatheia Club will include a lecture by Rev. Jones I. Corrigan, S. J., who will speak on "Class War and the Communistic Method," on Sunday evening in Auditorium Hall, Boston College, at 8 p. m.

The regular monthly meeting of the club, on Friday of this week, will contain an interesting program, in the spirit of Christmas, arranged by Mrs. Vincent P. Roberts of Chestnut Hill, president of the club. A paper on current events will be read by Mrs. Fred A. Mahoney of West Roxbury. Miss Gretchen McMullen will talk on Christmas favors, novelties and the planning and preparing of meals, for the holiday season. Mrs. William Hannan of Waltham will be hostess for the tea.

For the weekly bridge party to be held this afternoon, at the Chalet, Miss Josephine Hartigan

MRS. FRED A. MAHONEY, above, of West Roxbury, who will read a paper on current events at the monthly meeting of the Philomatheia Club on Friday.

Roslindale Bridge to Benefit Local Charities

of Brighton, member of the executive board, will be hostess.

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Charity Bridge

THE ENTIRE PROCEEDS of the annual charity bridge party of The Arboretum Club on Friday, December 14, in the Municipal Building, in Roslindale, will be donated to local charities for Christmas. The party is under the direction of Miss Mary M. Slattery, of Jamaica Plain.

MR. AND MRS. NORLE F. McCAFFREY and daughter have closed their Scituate home on First Parish road and will spend the winter in Boston.

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SERVERS FOR THE fashion parade afternoon coffee, in the small ballroom of the Hotel Vendome on Friday, given by Mrs. Harold Everett Porter, include Clare and Kathleen Moran of Marlborough street, Mary Curley, Ellen Bottomley, Katherine Johnson, Jean Porter, Alice Voss Burrage, Rosamond Emerson, Martha Chapin, and Mrs. George U. Bayles.

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Benefit

A SURPRISE FOR the Catholic Charitable Bureau is to be donated at the Christmas bridge party of the Roxbury Academy of Notre Dame, on Saturday, from a table at which a group of popular young girls will preside, including Anna Barry, Rose and Mary Fitzgerald, Frances McCormick, Eleanor Crosby, Kathleen Field, Katherine Donovan, Claire O'Brien, Ruth Keenan and Mary Merrigan.

Subscribes to Plays for Children

AMONG THE ADDITIONAL subscribers to the series of children's plays, which Miss Faith Barney and her committee are sponsoring at the Elizabeth Peabody Playhouse are Mrs. P. F. Sturges, Mrs. Edward C. Wheeler, Jr., Mrs. Richard T. Fisher, Miss Clarisea Townsend, Mrs. G. S. Selfridge, Miss Florence Stowe, Miss Amelia Bennett, Mrs. Frances P. Sears, Mrs. John W. Bartol, Mrs. T. E. Brooks, Mrs. Thomas D. Cabot, Miss Fanny E. Cushman, Mrs. E. D. Brandegee, Mrs. Arthur W. Wellington, Mrs. Cleveland Rigelow, Mrs. Charles W. Keyes and Mrs. F. W. Davies.

"Holy Night," the second in this series of plays, will be presented Saturday morning, December 15, at 10:15, by the Nell Gwyn Players. Mrs. Adela Hoez Lee and Mrs. Emily Perry Bishop, directors of the Bishop-Lee school, are directing these plays.

Envoy to Russia to Visit Capital

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 12 (US)—Smiling suavely and ready to comment upon the weather, his trip across the Siberian wastelands, or any other subject under the sun, except Russia, William C. Bullitt, first United States ambassador to the Soviet, arrived here on his way to Washington for the Christmas holidays.

Bullitt stated he would make no public statement until he had reported to the Secretary of State.

Mrs. Park Will Preside

MRS. ETHEL COATE PARK, the president of the Brookline Circle of the Florence Crittenton League, will preside at the "President's Day" meeting of the league, to which the presidents of all circles have been invited. The meeting will be held at the Brighthelmstone Club in Allston, tomorrow.

The Reverend Phillips Osgood of Emmanuel Church will be the guest speaker. Music and tea will follow Dr. Osgood's address. Mrs. Bradley C. Mason, the president of the Brighthelmstone Club, and Mrs. Stuart A. Colpitts will pour.

1000 Grangers Boost Buy Drive

Pittsfield, Dec. 12—The 62nd annual state convention of Grangers, attended by 1000 members from all parts of Massachusetts, will continue through Thursday.

During the first session, Grand Worthy Master Samuel Brightman, of Fairhaven, recommended a campaign advocating the purchase of Massachusetts goods by Massachusetts buyers, to combat low prices now prevalent for agricultural products.

Norfolk Legion Will Conduct Annual Ball

The Norfolk County Council, American Legion, will conduct its annual military ball in the Norwood State Armory on Friday evening. Commander George A. Nourse of the Medfield Post is in charge.

Features will include drill exhibitions, vaudeville and dancing. Assisting Commander Nourse are past commander of Milton Post, Eric A. Rockstrum; past commander of West Quincy Post, Arthur Leary; past county commander, James Henderson of Brookline, and past commander, John Cavanaugh, of Norwood.

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The annual theatrical night of the Boston Spanish Club (El Club Espanol de Boston) will be held tomorrow night at Huntington Chambers, 30 Huntington avenue. A one-act comedy, "Calderon," and a revue consisting of Spanish dances and music will be presented.

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"What Is an Anthropologist?" will be the subject of a talk by Dr. Ernest A. Hooton, curator of the Peabody Museum of Cambridge, at the Boston Rotary Club's weekly luncheon at the Statler today. Glade T. Perrin will preside.

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Tonight at 8:30 in Longfellow Hall, Dudley street, Roxbury, the Intercolonial Club of Roxbury will inaugurate a series of beano parties, the proceeds of which will be turned over to the club's charity burial fund. The parties will continue every Wednesday evening under the supervision of John S. Nolan.

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The annual charity bridge and whist of the Arboretum Club will be conducted Friday night in the Municipal building, Roslindale, under the chairmanship of Miss Mary M. Slattery of Jamaica Plain.

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A tea will be given by the Boston Tuberculosis Association at the Sheltered Workshop, Newbury street, tomorrow afternoon for all public school teachers of Boston. Hostesses will be Miss Sarah A. Hyams, Mrs. Frederick T. Lord and Mrs. Reginald Heber White.

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In commemoration of the 29th anniversary of the Winthrop School Association a dinner and Christmas party will be held at the Hotel Touraine tomorrow night at 6:45 p. m. Features include music, old-time ballads, Christmas carols, a Christmas tree and Santa Claus in person.

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Dr. Archibald T. Davison of Harvard will speak on "The Origin and Development of Christmas Carols" in an address tomorrow evening to the Unitarian Club at the Hotel Somerset. A group of young men and women from Harvard and Radcliffe will illustrate the talk.

Are you listed in the American-Advertiser's Who's Who Directory for 1935? If not, call Liberty 4000 for complete information.

Martha Swift to Head Group

MISS MARTHA SWIFT, chairman of the junior social service committee of the First Church in Chestnut Hill, is presenting a concert in the parish house, this evening, for the benefit of the little housekeepers' class of Norfolk House Center.

On Miss Swift's committee are Mrs. J. T. Walker, the Misses Barbara Frost, Margaret Haskell, Elizabeth Kennedy, Ellen Kennedy, Ann Meserve, Mary Rogers, Deborah Sayles, Nancy Swift, Lois Weeks and Dorothy West.

Harvard Elects Bowditch

Ebenezer Francis Bowditch of Concord, Herman Gundlach, Jr., of Houghton, Mich., and Arthur Wingate Todd of Cleveland Heights, O., were elected respectively first, second and third class marshal in the Harvard University elections.

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Madge, safe in her father's arms and thankful for his timely intervention in her trying interview with Lee Chow, reviews the fatherless years of her childhood.

CHAPTER 215

AS I UTTERED my tremulous, thankful query to my father, after Lee Chow's exit from the room, he smiled down at me with infinite tenderness.

"I think sometimes I am psychic concerning any need of yours for me," he said. "Perhaps it is because for so many years I wandered, a pariah, seeking you, that you became the one obsessing thought of my life."

"I know, dearest and best of fathers," I murmured, and for several seconds we stood locked in that close embrace, while my memory gave me lightning-like glimpses of that time of which he was speaking.

DESERTED HIS MOTHER

I never had any childish memories of my father. When I was four years old, he had deserted my mother and me and gone away with my mother's best friend. I had been raised to implacable resentment against him, but my mother on her deathbed had charged me to love and forgive him, if he ever came into my life and needed me. Something in that solemn injunction had made me realize that my mother was remorsefully admitting to me—and to her own soul—that she had been partly at fault for the catastrophe which had destroyed her life.

That the other woman had been but an episode in my father's life, and that my mother had been for him the 'one woman,' ever after denied him, I knew. He had asked for a reconciliation not long after his desertion of her, but had met with a stern denial, and an edict forbidding him ever to come near either her or me.

Then he had disappeared from our lives until after my marriage, when his long search for me—which had given him the sobriquet of "The Quester of Broadway"—had ended in his recognition of my likeness to my mother.

How vivid was the memory of the night when first I had seen him in a Broadway restaurant, and Dicky had told me that the striking looking man at a table near us was called "The Quester," because he always appeared to be watching for someone. And he had revealed himself as my father, after a misunderstanding on his account that almost precipitated Dicky and me into a marital tragedy.

PRECIOUS MEMORIES

Just as vivid, but more tender, were the other memories that came crowding upon me. Never, despite the long years which had separated me from him, had I experienced any difficulty in obeying my little mother's dying injunction to love him and to forgive him. And never, I believe, did any daughter receive more love and care than I, when my portion from the moment he revealed himself to me.

I have been able to make his later years as happy as his remorseful memories of my mother will permit, and my children are completing the task of healing his sorrow.

I guessed that memories were swaying my father, too—memories that went back farther than mine. I knew it when he tightened his clasp of me, and said wistfully:

"Have I been a good father to you, my darling? Good knows I have meant to be, but a man cannot understand, sometimes—"

I took an arm from around his neck and laid my hand firmly across his lips.

"You always have had the most divine understanding," I whispered, "and you do not underrate yourself. I never, never can tell you what you have been to me."

"You do not need to tell me anything," he said. "You have shown your love for me every moment of our life together. You and your children have healed my wounds that I did not think could be healed. And I want you always to remember that all my life is at your service.

"Now, let me answer the question you asked me just now. I knew you needed me, because I had been watching you, or rather watching Lee Chow, through that balcony window outside."

He pointed to an odd little window several feet from the ground, high up in the wall.

"Father!" I gasped. "How ever did you get up there?"

"I was an athlete, once, my dear," he said, "and I had a strong incentive for the climb. I knew that I must watch Lee Chow, and find out what he was trying to do."

I swayed against him at a sudden memory

"His eyes!" I whispered fearfully, "Did you see his eyes?"

(Continued tomorrow)

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Foot Treatment

Question: What permanent cure, if any, do you know for corns? I have been regularly to a chiropodist for years, but corns always seem to come back in a few weeks. I am also concerned about the condition of my feet. ARLINE J.
Medford.

Answer: The only permanent cure for corns is achieved by wearing shoes that do not press or rub. A chiropodist can clear away corn ills, but they will certainly come back if the cause continues. Don't wear spiked heels during the daytime—try to wear sensible walking shoes. In the house wear sandals and light stockings. Give your feet an occasional vacation from the confinement of their houses.

Dusty Pastels, Dark-Accented, Glow Under Fur Coats

AS A HAPPY CHANGE from the richly dark or heavily metal encrusted frocks that have been a fairly steady diet since the opening of the cold season fashions, comes the dusty pastel frock of a heavy, somewhat mossy crepe. For all its delicate, flattering color, it is distinctly a mid-winter frock. And nothing emphasizes the glossy loveliness of a fur coat better than such a frock beneath it . . . the charteuse-turquoise of the one illustrated with brown furs, or a soft raspberry or honey-beige with black, for instance.

Shirtmaker lines have a line-up of pleating, even to edging the pockets. A grosgrain "Southern Gentleman" string tie knots under the chin. The color is frankly interesting—a softened and "blued" chartreuse becoming to every type. Which cannot be said of chartreuse, ordinarily. Note the return of the off-the-face hat, in bengaline with a rhinestone half-moon clip

Miss Olivia Stone, Beacon street debutante, models. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sidney Stone. She is a fancy skater of no mean accomplishments . . . tiny, with a flashing brunette beauty . . . and tints her nails mahogany red from moon to tip . . . likes brown and gold for winter daytime, but black or the deeper jewel tones for evening.

If you wish for details on the budget frock or hat shown, which is from a Boston shop, phone Annice Brink, Fashion Editor, LIBerty 1000, or write her at the Boston Evening American, inclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Reader Sends in Unusual Recipes

By Martha Lee

(From Martha Lee's Wednesday Morning Broadcast Over Station WAAB)

INTERESTED readers pass [illegible] Mrs. A [illegible] husband. We [illegible] by her family's [illegible] very attractive [illegible] appropriate [illegible]

[illegible] is a bit unusual [illegible] chunks of sweet potato, [illegible] pineapple [illegible] fats [illegible] with orange juice and [illegible] and [illegible] pie forms [illegible] and a torte which [illegible] a good dessert.

HARVEST CASSEROLE

6 large sweet potatoes
4 apples
4 tbsps butter
½ cup brown sugar
Dash of mace
½ cup honey
½ cup hot water

Pare sweet potatoes, peel and [illegible]. Pare four apples and slice [illegible] a layer of potatoes in the bottom of a buttered casserole. Put over these a layer of apples [illegible] with butter, spices and brown sugar and a dash of mace. Proceed with the second layer of the potatoes and apples. Mix hot water with honey and pour over the apples and potatoes. Bake at 350 deg F. for [illegible] minutes, and the apples [illegible]. This is very good when served with ham.

An Air Purifier Gives Fresh Woodsy Tang

By Juliet Shelby

IF YOUR HUSBAND IS the kind who warbles strains in his [illegible] across the clean woodsy scent of outdoor things, and [illegible] himself above all else an [illegible] gardener, you can do no better than give him a new scent, an air purifier for Christmas.

You keep it on a hook in your [illegible] reminder and not [illegible] Well it sends your clothes fresh and [illegible] as the North [illegible] but it will [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] the [illegible] of cigarette out of your [illegible].

We should be very particular during the winter months to keep our heavy garments clean [illegible] the warmth of the maintenance always hangs the dress she has worn during the day by her open window.

Sachets help to keep your closet fresh and fragrant, but most [illegible] in the air purifier before [illegible] and [illegible] can spread their fragrance. So [illegible] switches [illegible] and [illegible] when they learn that a sweet air purifier has been perfected that [illegible] the pleasant and lasting aroma of pine with [illegible] and [illegible] deodorizing power of [illegible] dehydrogenize." And since that government scientist claim is taboo with moths.

If you wish to know the name of this sweet purifier and where it can be bought, phone Liberty [illegible] and ask for Miss [illegible]. The information can also be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Home Editor, Boston Evening American Bldg.

Outdoor Girls Will Want One

Photo by Charlotte Henry

Blouse Has Swing-Back Design

By MARIAN MARTIN

PATTERN 9208

This is a particularly [illegible] tailored edition of the [illegible] Back design—a design which [illegible] you probably know. [illegible] the fashion world by storm [illegible] season, because of its chic [illegible] ability. Wear the over-blouse swinging jauntily free at the back—or belt it all the way [illegible] to make a close and smart two-piece outfit. Don't you like these gracefully full sleeves ending as they do, in trim turned-back cuffs? And the suit pockets beneath the [illegible] are smart and swagger.

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9208

Tomorrow's Menu

BREAKFAST
Sliced Bananas
Bran Flakes
Toast Butter
Marmalade
Coffee

LUNCH
Turkey Giblets with Rice
Bread and Butter
Cranberry Sauce
Tea Milk
Fruit Cake

SUPPER
Stuffed Flank Steak
Boiled Potatoes Green Beans
Cream Cheese Crackers Jelly
Bread and Butter
Coffee

Ambiguous Defense Play Sets Four-Spade Contract

By Josephine Culbertson

[illegible] was puzzled by [illegible] declarer would quite easily [illegible] contract. Suppose [illegible] the first trick [illegible] because [illegible] he holds [illegible] requires [illegible] some guess as to the [illegible] a certain suit or perhaps [illegible] entire line of [illegible] More [illegible] he is deceived by [illegible] defensive play. It was [illegible] play which brought [illegible] feat of South's [illegible] contract in the [illegible] below.

North, Dealer
North and South vulnerable

	♠964 ♡K75 ◇KQ1095 ♣A9	
♠A2 ♡Q1106 ◇64 ♣J854	North West East South	♠J85 ♡A943 ◇A2 ♣10732
	♠KQ1073 ♡82 ◇AJ7 ♣K96	

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1♡	Pass	1♠ (1)	Pass
2♠ (2)	Pass	3♠ (3)	Pass
4♠ (4)	Pass	Pass	Pass

South [illegible] to make a [illegible] bid after [illegible] Opening [illegible] spade is [illegible] and South is [illegible] with an absolute [illegible] With a game on the [illegible] North [illegible] to [illegible] bid, [illegible] contract is perhaps best [illegible] at one spade.

[illegible] North is not sure whether [illegible] should be played at [illegible] or not. [illegible] is [illegible] a fairly strong [illegible] hand, he [illegible] to be [illegible].

(4) After [illegible] has been [illegible] South's strong [illegible] to [illegible] and [illegible] must be played at [illegible]. If [illegible] he [illegible] spade [illegible] probably [illegible] up [illegible] to hold [illegible] fort at notrump.

(1) These small cards [illegible] support for a [illegible] bid.

In the play West opened the queen of hearts, on which dummy played the king and East the ace. The hearts were continued, South trumping the third round. Declarer could now afford to lose only one trump trick.

A small club was led to dummy's Ace and a small trump returned, on which South played the King. West, without a second [illegible] of [illegible], allowed the King to hold the trick. It [illegible] clear to West that [illegible] trump holding must be [illegible] as King-Queen-[illegible]. If it were King-Queen-[illegible] no trick could be won or [illegible] by the play of either the Ace or a small one. But if [illegible] were the King-[illegible] with only two small [illegible] must have the guarded [illegible] In the event the play [illegible] Ace and probable induce South to [illegible] entry once more to the dummy and finesse through [illegible] of Jacks. In view of the holdoff, however, South might quite reasonably place the Ace in East's hand lead a trump from the dummy, and [illegible] with the Queen, hoping to find a doubleton Jack in the West hand. The hope was a slight but it was the only one remaining, since South almost positively held both the diamond Ace and the club King.

As West had hoped, South was deceived by this play and led a club to dummy's Queen in order to lead another trump from the dummy. When East played low, South went up with the Queen, West winning with the Ace. East's Jack was now established for the fourth and setting trick.

Of course, West could not be sure that South would make the wrong guess, but when a contract is undefeatable at double dummy, the defense can surely be said to have done its best when it has given the declarer the maximum opportunity to make the wrong guess.

Rogers to Speak at Old South Forum

Professor Robert E. Rogers, associate professor of English at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will be the speaker Sunday afternoon at Old South Forum. His subject will be "Youth and the New Deal." Richard W. Hale, founder of the Old South Forum, will preside.

The day marks the occasion when the Boston Tea Party started from the steps of the Old South Meeting House. The musical program [illegible] by Miss Norma J. Fidmon, soprano, and Alcene [illegible], pianist.

"WIFE IN CUSTODY" -:-

By BEATRICE LUBITZ

CHAPTER XXIII

"Lord, Helen, we've got everything to be happy about," Walter went on fervently. "And now my family has taken you into its heart. They're really the best girls in the world. They may have sharp tongues, but at heart they're true blue. Loyal as the sun! Why, the way they've stuck to me in building up this business is remarkable. The sacrifices they made! The unswerving loyalty! We must ask Irene and Dirk to dinner. She's wise, great

"Yes, hasn't she? I'll ask them for Friday. Dirk has been so nice, too.

"Oh, he's the best in the world! I only wish, though, Irene was happier. She's at him all the time to go back to his old job. He's losing thirty-five thousand a year."

"But if he's happier . . ."

"I know, but Irene isn't. Well, maybe they'll work things out. Irene's bound to. She's deucedly clever."

"Yes, she is," Helen yawned, "I'm so tired."

His gathered her up in his arms. "Let me put you to bed as if you were my child. My baby. My dearest, dearest, dear . . ."

"My dearest, dearest, dear," she whispered in return.

By midwinter, she was at her wits' end. But even before Walter began to find these evenings irksome, Helen sensed he was not satisfied and she took heart. Perhaps he would find a way to stop this avalanche of friendliness and cordiality that was like a rope around her neck.

They were at Irene's on New Year's Eve for a formal dinner party.

Helen had stage fright no longer. She could even venture to talk when she was not in range of Irene's cool, critical eye. Helen's success with the Terhunes (she was there at least once a week and often she went down just to spend an afternoon with the old lady) was a surprise and a source of annoyance to Irene.

She knew—because Cecily told her—that Cecily and Helen had subscribed to a series of orchestral concerts on Tuesday afternoons. Irene found out too that Helen went to tea at the Terhunes' and even spent the night there once when it rained so hard that Mrs. Terhune wouldn't let them go home.

Tonight Helen wore a green velvet evening gown, very dark and simple. She wasn't quite sure of herself but Marian had adored it. Walter, accustomed to the extravagant fashions his sister affected, thought it was sweet, "nice and simple."

Irene spotted the dress the instant she saw Helen. She gasped a little at the snowy whiteness of Helen's back.

"That's a smart frock," Irene conceded. "How did you happen to choose it?"

Helen smiled. She missed the "quite" in Irene's approval. She knew now the dress was exceptional. "Marian and I saw it in Milgrim's yesterday. We both liked it at once."

"It's a little too sophisticated for your type but it is becoming. You mustn't ever, you know, get away from the [illegible] type."

Helen saw Dirk alone for a second and she made her way to where he stood

"Hello," he grinned, "you really look absolutely swell!"

"Now you listen to me, young woman. I've got a whole bagful of compliments for you. First, your skin is like the glow of flames on old ivory and, second—"

"Oh, please, I'd rather not hear any more." She laughed, "My vanity simply can't stand up under it."

He looked down at her steadily She stood before him, her hands clasped simply. He said seriously in a lowre voice, "How is everything going?"

"Oh, so, so. Why?"

"I don't know, Nellie, you have a curiously harassed look in your eye. I just wondered. Doing much exploring these days?"

"I get so little time, Dirk. I don't even get time to read evenings as much as I used to when I worked at the Salon."

He looked at her steadily. "Walter still has that house in the country, hasn't he?"

"It would give you the time to yourself that you want.

"It would give you privacy. You'd find the country heavenly to explore. It's even more fascinating than the city." He spoke in a low voice.

Helen rushed on before they were interrupted

"The house is empty, Dirk. It needs alteration and furnishing Do you think? could . . ."

"Yes, it's a vis at remodeling old places. See what she's done at New Canaan"

"Oh, your mother's place is lovely. I'm crazy about it."

"The furnishings seem so . . . so right."

"Most of the stuff can be picked up by careful shopping."

"But I've never bought a thing. I mean . . . like furniture. I wouldn't know how, Dick"

"Nonsense. Of course you would! You have good taste. You couldn't go wrong. Just you follow your instincts and not the fashion of the moment and you're bound to achieve a comfortable and charming home which is all that matters. I will help you. I know some of the shops that specialize in furniture for country homes. I have a raft of interior decoration magazines at mother's. I'll dig them out for you—when you're ready. "It would be grand, Dirk."

"I think it's the only solution for you, Nellie. It will be a painless and effective method of breaking away. You want to live your own life"

"Oh, Dirk, I've been avoiding the true state of affairs even to myself. Oh, how well you know! Yes, I want to be alone with Walter. We have so little time together and we love each other so. We want to be alone!"

"I know just what you mean. This may be a way out for you. Call me up tomorrow. We can discuss it then"

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Read in the next instalment how Helen looks forward with delight to a "home in the sticks."

ABOUT FACES by ART. MOGER

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WHAT STAR HERE WAS SELECTED FROM 75 CANDIDATES TO APPEAR IN "IMITATION OF LIFE"? HER REAL NAME IS JUANITA QUIGLEY
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Hollywood comes to life!

With today's four "About Faces" characters starring in "Imitation of Life" at the RKO Keith Memorial theater, the Boston Evening American presents the third in this week's "About Faces" series. These cinema celebrities may be seen at the RKO Keith Memorial theater, where they excel in Fannie Hurst's soul stirring drama

All you have to do to share in the weekly $25 cash awards, offered by the Boston Evening American to those correctly solving these identifications, is to:

(1) Fill in the squares beneath each "About Faces" drawing with the correct identifications.

(2) Use the letter "A" as a guide

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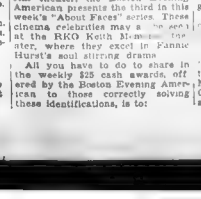
Mail your entire week's solutions to The About Faces Editor, Boston Evening American, Boston Mass. Cash prizes, useful for your Christmas shopping, totaling $25 are offered each Saturday.

"I work all the time and feel strong . . ."



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A Uterine Tonic and Sedative for Women

SPEER FEARED FOR HIS LIFE, SAY POLICE

By JOHN H. NOONAN
(Boston Evening American Staff Correspondent)

Greenfield, Dec. 12. Doctor F. [illegible] Speer [illegible] Mt. Hermon school home [illegible] friend [illegible] weeks [illegible] South. That [illegible] life [illegible]

This [illegible] authorities today [illegible] friends [illegible] whole-hearted co-operation [illegible] conference which he [illegible] suppose [illegible] that Speer [illegible] was shot [illegible] death.

ONCE A SUSPECT

Dr. Speer [illegible] the friend [illegible] bitterness [illegible]

This [illegible] by Dr. Speer [illegible] one stage of the [illegible] said.

Another [illegible] today when [illegible] Treadway [illegible] Congressman [illegible] session [illegible]

Treadway [illegible] to the effect [illegible] the Speer [illegible] one of [illegible] acquainted [illegible] calling [illegible] for the North field Inn.

His appearance as a witness came as a [illegible] It is understood that [illegible] reporter last night and was [illegible] testify today.

Also called as a witness today were George McKay, acting manager [illegible] and R. B. Miller. Mr. Hermon physician. It is understood [illegible] Miller [illegible] would be required [illegible] Speer [illegible] Miller was the first [illegible] testified as to the physical condition of two [illegible] months.

The Reverend Lester T. Waite [illegible] of the Hermon Congregational [illegible] pastor of the [illegible] Brimfield. Present [illegible] and accompanied as a witness and [illegible] driver was a member [illegible] Speer [illegible] was expected that State Trooper Richard Hill [illegible] would be called.

Miller was the first officer to reach the [illegible] Dr. Edwin Speer [illegible] that the Mount Hermon [illegible] was the victim of [illegible] that [illegible] a host of buckshot [illegible] which the injured [illegible] Hermon.

So far [illegible] to the state police [illegible] contradictory to the [illegible] the man accused in the case [illegible] been given by a number of witnesses including principally those who testified at the inquest [illegible].

GIRL'S EAR AGAIN OPERATED ON

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tided, [illegible] when seen at the bank [illegible] her daughter's life.

While reluctant to discuss the surgical aspects of the operation Mr. Beaven said that Dr. Winifred Fennell, noted ear specialist, must penetrate the brain when he operates and that the operation is one of the most delicate known to medical science.

"Last February," the unfortunate young woman's father explained, "Gertrude came home to spend a week-end with her mother and me at our Charlestown home at 7 Church court. She complained of great pain in her right ear.

"The next morning, Saturday, I made an appointment for her with Dr. Fennell, who said that she must go to the hospital Monday and be prepared for an operation. Sunday afternoon, he treated her again. The instant he had made an examination he pronounced it a case of mastoid.

"He asked if the school doctor had not made an examination. My daughter told him the doctor had not been called—that the nurse had advised a hot water bottle for the ear.

"Gertrude was operated on the following Thursday. There have been two subsequent operations. And now tomorrow's, but I can say no more. Please excuse me. It is not our daughter's beauty nor her health that concerns her mother and I any more. It is her very life that is at stake tomorrow—and she is our only one."

Granite Cutters Open Convention

The American Granite Associa[illegible] with members [illegible] states [illegible] its annual two-day meeting at the Hotel Statler today.

Charles M. Lipp[illegible] of Wausau, Wisconsin, president of the association, will preside.

7:00 o'clock all's not well
7:02 feelin' swell!
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Don't Worry if you suffer from indigestion, gas, sourness, heartburn and fear of feeling your worst. Authorities agree that the common cause of such distress is an acid condition brought on by certain foods. Stuart's Tablets neutralize the acid to quiet an upset stomach right in 2 to 5 minutes. Contain Calcium Carbonate and other pure compounds. A physician's formula proved most effective by millions for 40 years. Try them today!
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Last Chance to Tell, Girls, in Contest

[illegible] had [illegible] so [illegible] Men [illegible] what do you think [illegible] men [illegible] want to be?

[illegible] is the last [illegible] of the contest in which the Boston Evening American is offering [illegible] prizes totaling $25 and the [illegible] regrets for the best [illegible] to the question "What does the modern girl desire in her preferred man?"

If you have had the [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] that was inspired by Douglas Fairbanks in his new picture, The Private Life of Don Juan, which opens at Loew's State tomorrow with a [illegible] feature, Men of the N[illegible]. The film portrays the [illegible] adored by the famous lover [illegible] precede a group of [illegible] as well as the [illegible] among them the fascinating Mary Charles [illegible] Barnes Betty Blythe and Joan Gardner.

In preparing for battle [illegible] made a study of what [illegible] the fair women of past [illegible] and [illegible] of the [illegible] Miss Lord. He summarizes [illegible] the present day [illegible] most of all, and [illegible] the famous [illegible] of the past. Even some good [illegible] ability [illegible] characteristics [illegible] and [illegible] Paris.

Miss [illegible] of prizes [illegible] Many of those [illegible] already [illegible] have [illegible] life [illegible] order in which [illegible] [illegible] Send [illegible] immediately. Place the [illegible] on [illegible] so that [illegible] the [illegible] Group will [illegible] Each chart [illegible] letter [illegible] with a [illegible] of [illegible] for words [illegible] the [illegible] for your [illegible].

Prizes [illegible] are First $5, second [illegible] $2, [illegible] $1. [illegible] to be [illegible] and the [illegible] owning [illegible] to [illegible] contest [illegible] are to [illegible] Saturday [illegible] at Loew's State. All [illegible] must be sent by Friday night at [illegible] envelope [illegible] Letter of Loew's theaters [illegible].

Joan Gardner, who is one of Douglas Fairbanks' loves in "The Private Life of Don Juan."

Waitresses to Elect

Waitresses' Local 112 will [illegible] its annual election of officers today at Tremont Temple.

Mrs. Vanderbilt's Appeal Is Filed

New York, Dec. 12 (1938) Mrs. Reginald C. Vanderbilt [illegible] appeal from the [illegible] of Justice John [illegible] Carr [illegible] granting the custody [illegible] Cornelius Vanderbilt [illegible] Gloria [illegible] between Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, the [illegible] paternal aunt, [illegible] herself was [illegible] today before the appellate division of the supreme court of New York.

The appeal [illegible] must be filed [illegible] days. Nathan Burkan, Mrs. Vanderbilt's attorney, [illegible] case of [illegible] in the court would be pushed [illegible] possible.

Tip on Killing, Suicide Brings $25 News Award

By The News Tip Editor

A [illegible] a murder and suicide [illegible] last week brought $25 [illegible] readers of the Boston American.

The award was first prize in the [illegible] that distributes $10 weekly [illegible] tips who know news and act quickly by calling the News Tip Editor of the Boston Evening American.

[illegible] requested that the [illegible] be withheld.

A [illegible] for $5 being made to [illegible] Norman of London street, East Boston, for his alertness in reporting a fire in which a [illegible] was made. Another [illegible] amount was sent to an [illegible]

Julian Greenfield of Julian street, Roxbury, Tip on a fire.

Name withheld, Story of a policeman injured in auto crash.

Gertrude Connelly, Whitney road, Brookline. Tip on an accident.

George McGrath, Malden street, Malden. Tip on transfusion story.

[illegible] S. McLean, Washington street, Boston. Tip on a bird story.

Arthur Shaughnessy, Garfield avenue, Revere. Tip on a shooting.

Mrs. Josephine Celani, Summer street, Malden. Tip on five generations.

Mrs. A. M. Lentini, East Sixth street, South Boston. Tip on accident.

Patrick Powers, 34 Boston street, South Boston. Tip on a street car accident.

Mrs. Mary Damon, Josephine street, Dorchester. Tip on a safe break.

Michael Roughan, Fellsway, Medford. Tip on a sudden death.

J. D. Craig, Westminster street, Hyde Park. Tip on a boy killed by a train.

Edward Croak, Hyde Park avenue, Jamaica Plain. Identification of boy killed.

Mrs. Florence Murphy, Hammond street, Waltham. Tip on a fire.

Name withheld. Tip on a sports story.

[illegible] another week and maybe [illegible] can get in on these weekly [illegible] All you have to do when [illegible] see or hear of news is call the News Tip Editor at Liberty [illegible]

61 ACCUSED OF RUM TAX FRAUD

By Associated Press

Montreal, Dec. 12—Police were detailed today to round up 61 persons, including officials of Distillers Corporation-Seagrams Limited, accused of defrauding the Dominion and Quebec governments of $5,000,000 in liquor smuggling operations.

Although the sum of $5,000,000 was specified in the blanket warrants, officials said the actual figure would probably prove far greater.

News of only four of those mentioned in the warrants were made public, pending arrest of those sought. They are [illegible] Bronfman, president of the Distillers Corporation-Seagrams, Limited; Allan Bronfman, vice-president, and Abraham Bronfman.

Authorities said the charges against the Bronfman Brothers had no connection with the company with which their name is associated.

"Among [illegible] the "biggest" liquor smuggling cases in annals of the Dominion, officers added "and it may grow."

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CAMBRIDGE MAN HURT IN NEW YORK ACCIDENT

[illegible] N. Y. Dec. 12. William of the company were seriously [illegible] when the bus that one of them [illegible] Howe, an officer of the Cambridge [illegible] overturned and the other [illegible] Boston Transportation Company [illegible] near Amsterdam [illegible] who must be set. The other three [illegible] of Cambridge were [illegible] Emery B. Herrington, 29, of employees all of Buffalo sustained [illegible] and four employes [illegible] Cleveland was [illegible] Eddie [illegible] injuries.

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This Is Life
by
ROBERT E. ROGERS

I am afraid that Mr. Secretary of [illegible]

Robert E. Rogers [illegible]

Puritan View

[illegible] Robert L. Vest in Pilgrim Hall may [illegible] in that museum [illegible] paper [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Lights and Shadows

By George Holland

Walter Hampden's surname is Dougherty, a fact so tremendously known now it has escaped the penny of this column lately. Recently I noted in the theater of the drama page comes from Brooklyn, a certain metal plate for one who may [illegible]

Walter Hampden (Dougherty)

[illegible] Hampden [illegible] New York's Metropolitan Opera. Another brother, J. Hugh Dougherty, Jr., is a lawyer.

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This all comes as a surprise to me, and I think it will to many. Generally the name Dougherty is associated with prize fighters, not with actors. Walter Hampden appears to be a very good boxer, for he has been known to [illegible] true climbs, and the late Colonel A. J. Smith of the Colonial, whether Mr. Hampden worked in a walk or [illegible] matinee festival [illegible] next May night, will be a stellar attraction, believe me. Walter said this up was that the Colonel and myself were bemoaning the scarcity of the [illegible] American [illegible] the theater.

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Here by the way is Mr. Hampden's [illegible] next week at the Colonial: Monday evening, matinee and Saturday evening, "Richelieu"; Tuesday and Friday evening, King Henry IV, Part 1; Wednesday matinee and Saturday evening, "Hamlet"; Thursday, "Macbeth."

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William Gordy, [illegible] author of a poem entitled "The Motion Picture Scout," and sent it to the executive vice president of one of the latter's [illegible] studies in Culver, requesting an interview. [illegible] addition for two of the most attractive [illegible] Gordy says, "Hamlet" is a rather long picture. They are Paul Muni, who is 4 and has brother, Buy, 7.

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The younger has more rhythm than Cab Calloway. The children really sing and dance entirely [illegible] and their sound-camera [illegible] phatic opinion we can [illegible] should be listened to. [illegible] in charge of a former musical comedy person [illegible] Miss Gertrude Dunn, of Beverly, so this reads like a raw deal intended. His [illegible] the children once, and there [illegible] a moment [illegible] personal. Nor have [illegible] Mamara and Don [illegible] effect on the opinion [illegible] going lamentation [illegible] of Colonel Sheehan [illegible] commentator.

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Phyllis Dunn [illegible] and arrived yesterday as a [illegible] Away Home" [illegible] Plymouth December 2 [illegible] wife of the [illegible] Theron Bamberger [illegible] Howard will [illegible] instead of the usual [illegible] ning attire which playwrights generally cause him to don when he plays at the [illegible] Petrified Forest." Mr. Howard left Leslie [illegible] wood and [illegible] "The Petrified Forest" in the space of one week. On [illegible] day in Hollywood, almost [illegible] hour, at United Artists' studio, and airplanes [illegible] the double-back [illegible]

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Richard Lert, general manager of the Boston Opera Company, and Mark Luescher, the famous press-agent with a hard [illegible] and of the Savoyard Americ[illegible] tour will arrive in Boston [illegible] Monday before sundown, [illegible] or several [illegible] are expected to arrive to herald Noel Coward's "Design for Living" which we open Christmas at the Colonial Theater. Mr. Coward, Elmer L. Writer, [illegible] us, visited the offices of Wee and Leventhal in New York and asked that the authors play "Home Sweet Home." Wee and Leventhal planned to show in Boston the week after Christmas, before [illegible] "Point Valaine" ends its Boston run. He renewed was granted, and Blanche Ring, in "Her Master's Voice" will play at the Hollis through the holidays.

Guest of Honor

W. Ray Johnston, president of Monogram Pictures Corporation, will be the guest of honor at a luncheon for theater and newspaper people at the Hotel Statler next Saturday. Herman Rifkin, president of Hollywood Films Corporation, New England distributors for Monogram pictures, will be the host.

THALBERG TO FILM LIFE OF CECIL RHODES, FAMED SOUTH AFRICAN HERO

Charles Laughton to Play Lead in Biographical Picture; Dixie Lee to Make Film

By LOUELLA O. PARSONS
Motion Picture Editor Universal Service
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Los Angeles, Dec. 12—The romantic, colorful life of Cecil Rhodes, of the Kimberly diamond mines and the hero of South Africa will soon be ready for the screen. Irving Thalberg has read volumes on the life of Rhodes who went to South Africa in 1881 and did such big things for the country, besides making a fortune for himself. Thalberg has engaged Monckton Hoffe, English playwright, to combine all the data in a screen play.

Many stars have been considered for the role of Rhodes but Irving has definitely made up his mind that Charles Laughton is best suited to the role. There is so much adventure, so much history and so much romance in Rhodes' life that it should make an interesting, prestigial movie.

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Pretty Dixie Lee is planning a vacation for a few months [illegible] bringing up Crosby, but [illegible] to have a screen career for [illegible] Bing, who thinks she is the prettiest and best [illegible] has consent to but wife's [illegible] a contract with Paramount. He's proud of her and he knows after presenting him with three husky boys, she deserves a career in the movies. And when the girls who swarm to the theaters to hear Bing croon, see Mrs. Crosby, they'll realize why he is so happy at home. Dixie is attractive when [illegible] personality and even the right [illegible] we, [illegible] may be two stars in the Crosby family.

Louella O. Parsons

George Brent will not play the [illegible] lead in Oil for the Lamps of China. That is definite and [illegible] between Warner and George. I am [illegible] Brent [illegible] Warner [illegible] Swell. Brent [illegible] [illegible] however [illegible] Warner players a swell chance. Jean Arthur, who [illegible] a good piece of work in Frank Capra's [illegible] Walter Connolly [illegible] Lamb [illegible] Brent [illegible] Warner [illegible] Brent [illegible] Warner [illegible] Lamb [illegible] Brent [illegible] Warner [illegible] Lamb [illegible] Brent [illegible] Warner [illegible] Lamb

FUCHS MAY SELL TRIBE IF REFUSED DOG PERMIT

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS
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Sports Parade

Ancient State Dog-Law May Haunt Dog Racers; Ruth in Collins' Boots

'Sweep' Cheats Stopped Fuchs Rewards Rabbit Pro Gridders Win Out

By AUSTEN LAKE

THE NON-PROFESSIONAL DOG-LOVERS, those suckers for a pup's playful bark and the flirt of his fuzzy tail, are telling about a Massachusetts law, alive since 1715, which makes any pooch brought into this state an outlaw, subject to being shot on sight.

Austen Lake

This is a holdover law from the Colonial day when sheep-killing was a common nuisance and the pioneer fathers regarded dogs as No. 1 public enemies. Since then the law has been allowed to live as a museum piece, like the statute against whispering in church or forbidding female exposure between the chin and the instep.

But unless the framers of the 1935 dog-racing bill were foresighted enough to sponge out the ancient law, it may yet rise from its tomb to embarrass the commercial dogmen who raise hounds by the herd, or swarm, for the racing market and tote them hither for purposes or sordid gain.

You can imagine the fluster it would cause at some Boston race meeting next summer if a dog-bigot should suddenly pull a gat and go to spraying the hounds with hot lead, while claiming sanctuary under the 1715 law.

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Connie Fits Babe to Eddie's Old Shoes

A PILLOW STOMACHED GIANT with a beet shaped nose and a lean, melancholy man with silvery hair are leaning over the taff-rail of a homebound mail steamer from Hawaii today.

One is Babe Ruth, the ball player who became a national treasure. The other is Connie Mack, the old testament character of the game. They are returning from a baseball tour of the Orient.

Since last season, when Ruth snooped after Joe McCarthy's job as manager of the Yankees, he has become a problem child in his league, so that the owners in New York today are studying what to do with him.

I hear from a reliable source that Connie will name Babe his first assistant with the Athletics next year, to occupy the same spot that Eddie Collins held before he came to Boston as curator of Tom Yawkey's ball plant.

Connie Mack intends to stay on as Athletics' manager until his aging sinews fail. The Babe, says my news-source, will receive $25,000 and double as field-lieutenant and part-time player.

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ON THE HEELS OF A RECENT "Parade" item, concerning the flood of bogus Sweepstake coupons that have been foisted on the public for many years, the Federal postal authorities have uncovered headquarters for the distribution of the phonies in Cleveland.

My estimate of the percentage of counterfeit Sweeps tickets in relation to the genuine ones, was 3 to 1. The postal authorities make it at least 10 counterfeits to one original, indicating that the public is bilked out of $10 for every $1 that reaches honest hands.

Without wishing to disillusion the folk who invest a few dollars each year in a beautiful dream that they might scoop up a fortune in prize money, I merely warn investors to deal only with accredited Sweeps agents, known personally.

Insist on a return receipt, and if in due time none is forthcoming, go to stalking that agent with a baseball bat.

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IN THE MAJOR LEAGUES the mortality rate among players who were loving roommates of a newly made manager is very high. Such palsy-walsy bedfellows as Joe Cronin and Sam Jones of the Senators, Pie Traynor and Larry French of the Pirates, Bill Terry and Fred Lindstrom of the Giants, and Frank Frisch and Jimmy Wilson of the Cardinals, are examples of one-time chamber sharers, who are now bitter enemies.

When Joe, Pie, Bill and Frank were brevetted from the ranks, they promptly sold their ex-roommates over the hill, Jones to the White Sox, French to the Giants, Lindstrom to the Pirates and Wilson to the Phillies.

Result is that the old chums and roomies now pass in sullen silence when they meet, tip-tilting their snoots, though in Frisch and Wilson's case they pour each over with a mutual exchange of abuse.

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Rabbit Looks Fuchs' Gift Horse in Mouth

JUDGE EMIL FUCHS, to whom the cardinal human virtue is loyalty, has made a cozy corner for Rabbit Maranville with the Braves. Admiring Rabbit's heroism in submitting to repeated bone-scraping and resetting of his injured shin, Fuchs has promoted him to a coaching job, firing Johnny Evers to find Rab's salary.

When I telephoned to the little rooster today his tart reply was, "Coach hell! I'm going to play." Now verging 43, an athletic age when most men put away their playthings and retire to some sunny nook, Rabbit refuses to grow up.

For 20-odd years he has burned his physical candle at both ends, like Edna St. V. Millay's verse, which runs:

"I burn my candle at both ends, it will not last the night. But O, my friends, and O, my foes, it sheds a lovely light."

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THE BUSINESS OF PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL, until lately a stepchild of the college game, has gathered customer appeal this fall. Chicago Bears announce a profit of nearly $100,000, which is a lot of funds even in sports.

This contrasts with the whimpers that most college athletic associations are making over deficits, which range from a few hundreds to the University of Pitt's $535,944, which is a claiming deficit aimed at shooing away the county auditors.

The professional football magnates have one great advantage over the college magnates. They do not have to buy real estate and build huge concrete bowls for their games.

The baseball people did that for them long ago. And the pros buy up the best college stars, who come ready-to-wear, freshening up their lineups each year with famous alumni.

The college folk do not pay any players salaries, but then the pros, which do, have no obligations to the papas and mamas of their players and have no howling, disgruntled grads mailing in shouts and wails.

KAMINSKY IN STAR ROLE AT GARDEN

By Bill Grimes

Through their victory over the New York Americans at the Garden, the Bruins retain a 50 per cent interest in first place of the American Division, for the Chicago Blackhawks, co-leaders, shut out Senator Jack Adams' Red Wings 1-0.

After piling up a four goal lead on the Amerks, the Bruins' defense became porous, allowing the visitors to beat Tiny Thompson for three tallies in the final period.

Offensively, the Bruins were at their best. With a few breaks, they would have given "Shrimp" Worters the worst beating he has ever received here.

One of the most encouraging signs that the Bruins are serious contenders for Stanley cup honors was the smartness of Max Kaminsky a combination play

Not since the days when Cooney Weiland was the Bruins' stellar play-maker have the Boston fans seen the equal of Kaminsky.

Kaminsky figured in both of the goals scored while he was in action. He started the play that put the Bruins out in front half way through the opening period, and in the next chapter he passed out to Dit Clapper for the third Boston tally.

Although they appreciated these efforts, the Bruin fans were far more impressed with the numerous shots he gave Clapper and Barry which did not result in goals.

In the second period, Kaminsky and Barry dashed down the left side of the rink about ten feet apart. Over came the American defense.

Out of the corner of his eye, Kaminsky must have spotted Clapper flying down the right lane, for as soon as he saw that the path was wide open for Dit he passed across and just far enough forward to make a perfect play. Clapper, however, was wide with his drive.

A few minutes later, Kaminsky and Barry staged one of the best pieces of combination play the Bruins have shown in years.

Barry took the puck into the attacking zone along the left wing board and gave Kaminsky a snappy pass. This was immediately returned forward and in the open.

Barry gathered the puck well inside the Amerks' defense, and, but for a spectacular save by Worters, would have beaten the great little goalie.

Due to the fact that Kaminsky passes to the left or right with equal skill, he is bad news for defense men. This youngster will be a great favorite with the Boston hockey public and should become one of the best play makers in the N. H. L. when he is more familiar with Barry and Clapper's style of play. Bear in mind that he had never played with these great flankmen until last Friday.

Tiny Thompson was entitled to another shutout. In all probability, it is just as well, now that the Bruins have hung up another victory, that the Bruin defense slipped enough to allow the Amerks to score.

Under the present day system of defense play, a goal minder has plenty on his mind without worrying over shut outs.

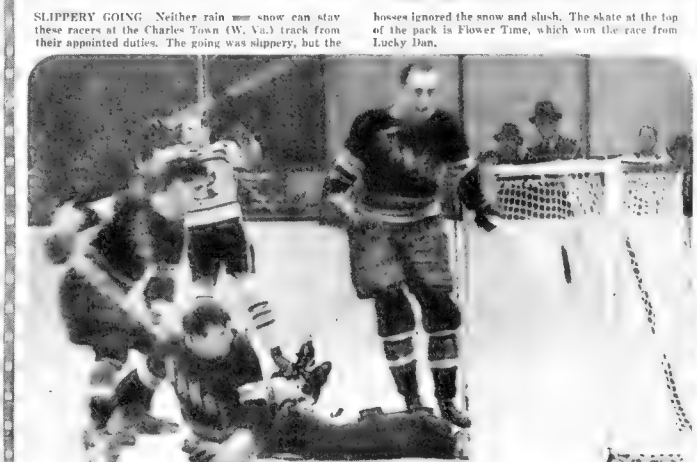
Through the absence of body checks, attacking players are allowed to sift in on the goalies with great frequency, and the rear guards are trading a tough existence.

Les Canadiens furnished the biggest upset of the season when they knocked over Tommy Gorman's lying Maroons, 4 to 1.

Big Three of Sox at Baseball Pow-Wows

JOSEPH MEETS THE BOSS. Here is the first picture of the Big Three of the Sox—the Messrs. Yawkey, Cronin and Collins—pictured at the big league meeting in New York. Incidentally, it is the first time Joe met his boss since he was purchased by Yawkey from the Senators.

SLIPPERY GOING. Neither rain nor snow can stay these racers at the Charles Town (W. Va.) track from their appointed duties. The going was slippery, but the hosses ignored the snow and slush. The skate at the top of the pack is Flower Time, which won the race from Lucky Dan.



STUDY IN EXPRESSIONS. The Rangers continue to sink and are shown wearing lugubrious expressions as the Maple Leafs poked through a score on them in New York yesterday. Aitkenhead, the goalie, is prone on the floor and Earl Siebert, defense man, is at the net. Hal Colton of the Leafs is waving his hands in delight at the goal. The Leafs won, 3 to 1. (Pictures from International News Photograph Service.)

RANDY MOORE LIKELY TO GO TO DODGERS FOR BENGE

By Joe Cashman

N Y N Y 12-

A [illegible] Judge Landis' [illegible] while [illegible] Brooklyn [illegible] At Judge Fuchs' request," announced President Ford Frick, "the dog racing matter was not discussed at our opening session and will not be taken up today. Anything further must come from Fuchs."

The question won't be considered either by the National League or at the joint meeting, presided over by Judge Landis, tomorrow.

"I convinced the board of directors that racing was my affair and mine alone. That doesn't mean I will abandon my plans. Beyond that I will not discuss the situation.

All efforts to get Frick, Fuchs or [illegible] of these [illegible] futiles.

HASN'T LICENSE YET

It [illegible] surprising that the [illegible] didn't take an open [illegible] ng scheme, but their [illegible] Commissioner Landis [illegible] to the [illegible] for baf- [illegible] for so- [illegible] all, [illegible] as an- [illegible] to think [illegible] keeping [illegible] decided [illegible] a race-

To do this, however, it would seem that he must have promised them to withdraw from baseball if he receives permission to go into the dog racing business.

A [illegible] It's [illegible] and met [illegible] he done [illegible] want [illegible] League [illegible] for [illegible] a race [illegible] at present.

[illegible] place today nothing [illegible] happen [illegible]

SOX GETTING NOWHERE

The Red Sox appear to be getting nowhere [illegible] to get new men.

Rogers Hornsby [illegible] with the Fenway bosses. He'll give Rogers [illegible] Cochrane, Yawkey Cronin [illegible] reluctant to part with [illegible]

The Sox [illegible] makes on Hornsby [illegible] must strengthen, the [illegible] after [illegible] order.

Bill McKechnie [illegible] of the Pirates [illegible] of the Phillies.

Whatever [illegible] they want [illegible] long [illegible] Mickey [illegible] McKechnie [illegible] get any [illegible] he has [illegible] get [illegible] a fair [illegible] Dodgers [illegible] he'd [illegible]

THE LITTLE GENERAL MARCHES ON

By Walter Kiley

Johnny Magee, Bowdoin College diplomat, waves eloquently over Japan a compulsory system of physical education for its boys and girls.

Only recently returned from a tour of the Orient as manager and coach of the American track team Magee tells about the thousands of the nation's school children who daily are put through a definite program of calisthenics tending to strengthen the physical and mental backbone of the nation.

"What impressed me particularly is that the country is interested only in amateur sports," states the Bowdoin coach.

"Its athletes are all bona-fide amateurs. Its amateur federations, the Nippon A. A. F. as an example, is composed of prominent sportsmen who are thoroughly versed in the rules and regulations of amateur conduct.

"The country is developing fast in sport, especially so in track, baseball and swimming. The Japanese are quick to learn. They are apt imitators.

"But, unlike the parrot, these little men are never content to copy, they are always ambitious to excel those whose style they may be employing.

"A typical proof of this is found in their swimming. For more than a thousand years, the Japanese were steeped in the tradition of the famous Mejii Jingo system of swimming which calls for the use of the side stroke.

"But when they saw Johnny Weissmuller using the crawl stroke with such tremendous success in the 1928 Olympics, they immediately scrapped their style and took up the crawl.

"The result was that they were able to win the 1932 Olympic swimming title at Los Angeles."

Johnny went on to tell about arriving in Tokio at midnight. An air raid was in progress, one of several scheduled as part of their flying program.

The city was in total darkness. Windows of homes and hotels were covered with burlap. Lights were [illegible] and [illegible] Streets were [illegible] of the [illegible] and ordered to bed at once.

The next morning, Johnny was awakened at 6 o'clock by loud shouting across the street. Looking out his window several thousand children [illegible] the gates of a huge playground waiting for them to open so that they could play baseball.

"All the boys and girls were uniformed. The authorities dictate what the youth will wear. Rich and poor must dress alike. There is no class distinction between the children.

"The boys wear blue shorts and blue coats and vests with a row of brass buttons down the front. Peaked caps of blue top off the ensemble.

"The girls have black stockings and black low cut shoes and a pleated skirt. Their blouses are either pink, white or blue. All must wear one color one week and change to another the next.

"Many of Japan's sports events are free to the public. Some of the bigger events, such as our track meets and the games with Babe Ruth's barnstorming ball players, cost about 50 cents.

"They have several gigantic stadiums, two of them seating 65,000 in Tokio, not 50 years away from each other. On one side they will have concrete seats. The other side is nothing but grassy slopes, where the spectators sit on the ground.

"Building in Manchuko, Manchuria, has a new stadium now under construction. When completed, it will accommodate 100,000. It is part of a five year plan, in which almost an entirely new city will arise. It has been in the making for two years. In three more it will be finished.

"It has a 60-foot wide board track, almost three times as wide as most of ours. The track is 600 meters long and, in the winter, the inclosure can be converted into a skating rink.

"Inside the board oval is a cinder track of 400 meters, built under the most modern specifications."

Johnny Magee Continues Dissertation On Wonders of Japanese Athletics

Mat Results

[illegible] Mc—Leo Lefebvre, 201, Canada, [illegible] Mass. Referee, Fred [illegible] Time, 10:11. Flying tackle: Lefebvre took [illegible] Mc. Ringside boo[illegible] press. Carmi disqualified after six minutes of [illegible] fall [illegible] Mc.

New Orleans—Wm. Nes, 176, Germany, threw Maurice La Chapelle, 178, France, [illegible]

Worcester—Bull Martin, 230, and Bull Ramos, 230, declared no contest, after [illegible] Bill Longson and referred to [illegible] Martin won first, 31:09, with lift and slam; while Martin took the [illegible] 10 minutes, both pins.

Boston—Rich Wagner, Providence, R. I., threw Leo Lamarche, Detroit, in 35 minutes. San Diego, Cal.—Chief Little Wolf, Mohawk Indian, defeated Matt Mountain Dean, 217 pound Georgia Hillbilly.

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The Last Half Mile---

CUNNINGHAM'S DUEL WITH 'BONNY' WILL LIVE FOREVER

(Ed. Note—There have been moments of drama and heartbreak, pathos and comedy in the fields of sports during the past week. Each day, staff writers of the Boston American will tell of the most hand-picked moments in sports they have witnessed personally or seen during the active year which is nearing its completion. The third is here with presented.)

By Walter Kiley

Outside it was bitterly cold. Inside New York's Madison Square Garden it was warm and comfortable. Warmer perhaps than comfortable, for 16,000 throbbing, hungry track followers gave the huge arena to its big game casualty.

Ten thousand more stormed the barricaded portals and battled police in a vain effort to gain entrance.

The public, with a finely developed sense for the sensational, seemed to realize it was about to witness an unfolding drama. It had long anticipated the clash between Glen Cunningham of Kansas and Bill Bonthron of Princeton, nation's greatest milers.

Here at last in the much heralded Baxter mile of the New York A. C. track carnival, the curtain was to rise on the opening [illegible] season's classic struggle for supremacy.

Experts both here and abroad had rated their respective merits. They had nothing but comparisons on which to base their claims. The Kansan and the Princetonian had been wary. They sidestepped each other at the B. A. A. games at Boston Garden, and once again in the popular Millrose games at Madison Square Garden.

Each Was Victim of Youthful Accident

Cunningham's 1933 record spoke volumes for his ability. First in 29 of 33 races, second he other four times. His 4.12 mile at New York was the fastest of that season. He was finally awarded the James E. Sullivan trophy for 1933 as the outstanding athlete of the year. He just nosed out Bonthron, 611 votes to 610.

Bonthron startled the nation when he won the 1500 meters in 3.51 at the intercollegiates at Harvard Stadium, returning a short time later to breast the tape ahead of a fast 800-meter field in the exceptional time of 1.53.5, the most brilliant double since the days of John Paul Jones.

Six weeks later he blasted the existing mile world record when he turned in a 4.08.7 performance on the outdoor Princeton track, albeit in so doing he ran second to Oxford's Jack Lovelock, who did 4.07.6 for a world record.

Cunningham and Bonthron were the principals on this late February evening. Gene Venzke of Penn, who had raced to the indoor mark of 4.10 in the 1932 Baxter mile, was one of the best lights of the cast. Glenn Dawson of Oklahoma and Frank Crowley of Manhattan were more figures in the background.

Watch Each Other Too Closely in First Half

Venzke's 4.10 mark was their goal.

The quintet lined up. The starter's gun barked.

The crowd sat back in breathless silence. Dawson set the early pace. The first half wound on in disappointing fashion. The time was 2.14, far too slow for a record breaking achievement.

Cunningham and Bonthron had forgotten all but each other. Each was afraid to make a serious bid. They jockeyed for position. For the most part the Princetonian was content to dog the Kansan's footsteps, hanging at his shoulder.

At the sixth lap, Cunningham let out a burst of speed. The crowd roared. He jumped Dawson and took the lead. Bonthron was in close pursuit. Venzke only a step behind.

The trio ran the next four laps like a team, the pace growing ever greater, the margin of difference staying ever the same.

The roar of the gun on the final lap. The backstretch where Bonthron made his bid. Cunningham stood him off, both were in top flight. The suspense was nerve wracking, heart stopping.

The crowd on its feet, 16,000 voices crying themselves hoarse.

Hysteria swept the multitude as Bonthron dipped deep into his reservoir of courage and reserve and came off the final banked turn into the homestretch with a definite advantage. It he crept until he was [illegible] to win by two yards. [illegible] from the tape.

Together they swept into the tape. One a[illegible] Bonthron's head in front to break the wire. Then that last great dying gesture which returned him victor by less than three inches.

On continued Bonthron as his pace slackened and finally petered out. But down went Cunningham and [illegible] to the track only a yard beyond the [illegible] broke [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Mr. Boston Says:—

McCoy on the Spot

Zarynoff's $1000 Forfeit

Macaluso's Big Bout

By Jack Conway

IS BOB "Bibber" McCoy's face red?

Maybe yes, and maybe no.

Anyhow "Bibber" hasn't made any reply to Count Zarynoff's challenge for a bout for the New England heavyweight wrestling championship.

The Count put $1000 on the line as a forfeit. It is held by the Boston Evening American. It cranks for Zarynoff's appearance in the ring against McCoy and a stipulation that the grand purse ride as a side bet.

Mr. Boston

It is a long time since any wrestler bet that he could lick another. In fact, some folks have become so conservative they wouldn't wager $1000 if they were alive.

I think McCoy will have a miserable Christmas if he doesn't agree to meet the Count. The latter used to ride a horse back in the days when he was one of the Czar's private guards. He may hop, aboard Billy Ames' Longitude and ride over to Cambridge and have it out with McCoy in Harvard Square.

Maybe "Bibber" hasn't answered the challenge because he hasn't got $1000 in cash. I know a lot of perfectly good citizens who are exactly $999 short of having $1000.

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O'Dell Highly Rated

"Red" O'Dell, who clashes with "Rebel Bob" Russell at the Arena tonight in a bout two falls out of three match, is highly rated as a grappler. He hails from Hollywood, Cal., and that caused much commotion in the film colony than even Ann Harding. They say O'Dell is the toughest grappler ever to come out of California, and that he will make Russell realize he has a real battle on his hands.

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O'Mahoney Gets Offers

FEW FOREIGN athletes have received as many offers as have been tendered to Daniel O'Mahoney, Irish heavyweight wrestling sensation. He is on his way to the United States on the Bremen. He will be met in New York tomorrow by every prominent American sports promoter. The Irish sensation will be able to write his own ticket as far as matches are concerned.

Paul Bowser's offer of a $100,000 guarantee tops the list. This offer is for six matches. If Bowser succeeds in obtaining O'Mahoney a contract, the bouts will be staged in Boston.

Bowser will meet O'Mahoney when the Bremen docks and will invite him to come to Boston as his guest to see the world's title match between Ed Don George and Len Macaluso which will be held at the Garden on Friday night.

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Macaluso's Title Dream

MACALUSO passed up all kinds of flattering football offers so that he could devote all of his time to wrestling. He is confident he will beat George tomorrow night, and then eliminate Jim London.

Macaluso isn't adverse to clashing with O'Mahoney. He recognizes the ability of the Irish sensation but thinks he can knock him off with a flying tackle. O'Mahoney has never been called upon to meet a wrestler who uses a flying tackle.

There is considerable interest in the semi-final on Friday night. It will feature "Bull" Martin against Everett Marshall.

Wrestling, like boxing, is picking up in interest. The Jim Londos-Dick Shikat wrestling test in the New York Garden on Monday night drew $20,000.

HAIR TRIGGER RAZOR SHARP IN SECOND

By Dave Wilson

(Selections Made for Fast Track)

BEST BET—Worthington.

Charles Town, W. Va., Dec. 12—Worthington, a winner here last Saturday, is picked to repeat his triumph and the outstanding bet on the card arranged for this track tomorrow.

FIRST RACE

APATHY, FAIR VERBENA, FONTEE.

APATHY should be able to beat this sort of opposition. FAIR VERBENA has shown some good efforts and should offer the contention. FONTEE will have enough left to win the show.

SECOND RACE

HAIR TRIGGER, UMA, HOSAIN

HAIR TRIGGER, scratched out of the mud yesterday, has had to run to his past race to trim this sort. UMA has been working well of late and should be the runner-up. HOSAIN has possibilities and should take what is left.

THIRD RACE

SUPREME MISS, CHANGEABLE, GENLINE

SUPREME MISS looks as though the proper spot has been found for her. CHANGEABLE is of uncertain quality but may provide the contention. GENUINE has run some good races and may finish in the money.

FOURTH RACE

Cora Kay, Overwood, Miss Cyllene

CORA KAY can make the grade in this event under the proper handling. OVERWOOD has disappointed before, but may be stirred to real mettle for the place award. MISS CYLLENE looks sufficiently promising to take the show.

FIFTH RACE

Worthington, Triolet, Calorie

WORTHINGTON trimmed Triolet on Saturday, although Triolet was taken wide at the head of the stretch and lost by a short margin. TRIOLET won his next start, but Worthington looks to have the edge and should come back at last triumph. CALORIC is favored to take down the show.

SIXTH RACE

SOMBRO, THIS PLAY, PLAY BILL

Not too much class here but SOMBRO rates an edge over the others. THIS PLAY and PLAY BILL ought to divide the rest of the spoils.

SEVENTH RACE

SANDY JOE, POMPESTIAN, GO AN TELL

Another cheap field with the choice of positions depending on the caliber of the horses. But SANDY JOE figures a trifle the best with POMPESTIAN and GO AN TELL the second and third choices.

McCoy Still on Hunt for Center

While Al McCoy, Husky basketball coach, is confident that his present club will beat the record of nine wins out of 13 games made by the '33 quintet, he is still in search of a tall athlete who can play the center position.

The Northeastern team beat Brown easily, although both Mart Bton and Ted Bialkowski were outjumped at the pivot post. Both boys are smaller than the average collegiate center, and are natural guards.

The newest dribbler to be tried at the midpost is Alex Fraser, a sophomore from Milton.

McCoy is also looking forward to the results of the mat-cage exams which should free Warren Cuaman six-foot frosh center last year from the ineligibility list.

Meanwhile Northeastern meets Clark at Worcester Saturday night, and McCoy may start either Fraser or Charlie Whitney, another center candidate, at the jump spot.

Two preppers, Johnny Barone, a forward, and Jay Hart, a back, have a chance of winning first-string jobs.

Gianferante Blows In Miami Tourney

Miami, Fla., Dec. 12—Jerry Gianferante's hopes for a high spot in the Miami open tournament had faded today after the Lexington, Mass., boy carded a second round 84.

His 36-hole total was 157, having carded a 73 on his first round. Leading the field as the third 18-hole round started was Olin Dutra, national open king, with 144.

Wilson's Selections at Charles Town

1—Apathy, Fair Verbena, Fontee.
2—Hair Trigger, Uma, Hosain.
3—Supreme Miss, Changeable, Genuine.
4—Cora Kay, Overwood, Miss Cyllene.
5—Worthington, Triolet, Calorie.
6—Sombro, This Play, Play Ball.
7—Sandy Joe, Pompestian, Go An' Tell.

BEST BET—WORTHINGTON

Houston Mutuels

For Tuesday, December 11

First total (1-2-7)	$131.50
Second total (1-3-5-7)	215.80
Third total (7)	291.30

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Racing Commissioners' 'Drug Rule' Has Teeth

By Associated Press

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 12—Racing commissioners of five States resumed today the task of creating a uniform code for horse racing throughout the country after having taken one big step toward stamping out the "doping" evil.

Members of the rules codification committee of the National Association of Racing Commissioners agreed yesterday that all trainers whose horses show evidence of having been stimulated shall be ruled off the turf, with a few specific exceptions.

They then put the issue up to the trainers by recommending that stalls be constructed so as to provide the best possible protection for the horses and that the grounds at each track be fenced at a 7 foot height.

If the evidence of a stimulation is conclusive a trainer shall be ruled off at once for life; otherwise a suspension is the punishment for a first offense with automatic banishment for a second.

Possession of narcotics by a trainer will draw the same punishment if the proposed law is passed at the national meeting at Miami.

The committee agreed upon the saliva test as the best method of detection, whether a horse had been stimulated and included in its recommendation the Michigan rule forbidding the medication of a horse within 48 hours prior to a race.

The word "he" must be admitted in that period the horse must be scratched.

The question of open and closed claiming races was discussed at length but decision was deferred until the next meeting, which will be up on owners and trainers who will be sought.

SNORKY HEADS EPSOM DOWNS PROGRAM

By Dave Wilson

Sick Lions Made for Fast Track

BEST BET—SNORKY

Snorky [illegible] a favorite spot in the third, are looks like the safest wagering proposition on the [illegible] card for the Epsom Downs [illegible] Texas track today.

FIRST RACE

Full Till, Proven, Gypsie Chief

FULL TILT is capable of winning [illegible] of the races PROVEN is [illegible] the mud and GYPSIE CHIEF, a fair [illegible] figures to [illegible] on [illegible]

SECOND RACE

Flag Bearer, Even Play, Kai Finn

FLAG BEARER may make every pole a winning one. EVEN PLAY figures very dangerous on best form. KAI FINN for the rest of the spoils.

THIRD RACE

Snorky, Flashing Thru, Lord Tournament

SNORKY will have FLASHING THRU to drub for top honors. The latter [illegible] to the Epsom Downs [illegible] from [illegible] in [illegible] of late. LORD TOURNAMENT will be all-dangerous in the event of slop.

FOURTH RACE

Fredrick, Terrier, Miss Morocco

This is a tough race to figure FREDRICK, TERRIER and MISS MOROCCO all get chances. They are fancied as named.

FIFTH RACE

Sweeping Light, The Pelican, My Dandy

That last race should put SWEEPING LIGHT right on edge. When right the Elton is a fast class performer. THE PELICAN shapes a better than MY DANDY. The latter has had quite a lot of it lately but I can't see anything heading him for the short end.

SIXTH RACE

Judge Judy, Lilian Z., Instigator

JUDGE JUDY appears to be a well placed thoroughbred. Looks like a question of a smooth ride. LILIAN Z. figures to offer the contention. INSTIGATOR just missed last time.

SEVENTH RACE

Adobe Post, Bylana, Dunbar

ADOBE POST received a weird ride last out. That effort may be forgot into the past. BYLANA shapes up as the main dish get. DUNBAR is entitled to some chance off his workout.

EIGHTH RACE

Fingal, White Legs, Southard

FINGAL was much better and looks the best. WHITE LEGS and SOUTHARD are the main dangers. Two are rated as named.

Wirtz Wins Tech 165-Pound Post

Elmer Wirtz has won the nomination for the fifth year as the boxing team in the 165-pound class when the Beavers open with Harvard on Saturday night at the Harvard indoor pool.

The rugged middleweight has been striving against three other aspirants for the honor, and, after a final tapering off workout, Coach Rawson announced his selection.

Wirtz starred with the freshman ringsters last year, hanging up several K. O.'s.

SHANLEY'S HAS 87-YEAR-OLD REGULAR

By Ed Cogswell

Strolling around the different alleys I found one bowler who asserted that Charley Richardson is simply a baby when it comes to claiming the old-age record. This was Daddy Cleveland, who has attained the age of 87 years, just 10 years more than Richardson can point to.

Daddy is a regular at Shanley's alleys, rolling three strings daily, and calls it a big day's work. As Daddy doesn't roll in any league, he admits Richardson could qualify in Grade B, for the oldest league bowler, inasmuch as he is a regular with the Old-Timers' League.

The bowling girls are all enthused about a special match between Columbia Pictures and R. K. O. women's teams at the Metropolitan alleys next Friday night. The girls have been having a host of followers there is sure to be plenty of fun on the sidelines.

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Three teams are having it hot and heavy in the Mystic Valley League. Reading has a lead of only a single point over Medford, while the latter is the same distance in the lead of Everett. Reading has the single team and three-string records to date in 579 and 1676.

Those downriver bowling hinterlands know their bowling . . . The veteran Sam Page, is president of the league.

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Terry Griffin, of the Park team in the City League at the Arena, is the only bowler who was with Bill Beatty's Chanceys which was rated by many as the best five-man team ever assembled.

This reminds us that John Sullivan, of the same league, well rated man, old timer, being 73 years of age. John rolled anchor for the old Chancey team when Arena Walsh made his debut. Sullivan is retiring from the ferry service of the city . . . Another anchor of the hearty days of candlepins is Mike McNulty, of the Park team, which position he held with the Tom Mix & Carthy five in the City League in 1910.

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Miss Steuber of the First National Bank League in the last session was right after the pins, contesting for a string of 104; high string for the league. Phil Markert on a 3 a reelbed combination, no less than four of the teams getting scores of over 1500 in the match. A. Pinto and Sanford rapped off strings of 135 with three-string totals of 396 and 341, respectively.

TODAY'S RACE SCRATCHES

Charles Town Scratches

1—Wazayata, Beaumont, Dunora Hair Trigger, Bob Ord, Red Commander.

2—Watch All, Sandy Joe, Th Gen, Flower Time, Soupcon, Pompestian.

3—Sunny Susan, Girdles, Chitta Maid, Whiskers, Dutiful, Mis Patches.

4—Big Kahn, Quick Wit, Bebo Bright Girl, Miss Pal, Fair Verbena.

5—Buntino, Miss Catalan, Rollick.

6—Brizette, Fluttering, Ruh Samuelson, George Demar, Golden Play, Zombro.

7—Valdosta, West Acton, Wil Kitty, Dusia Flapper, Gracias Flageolet.

AT EPSOM DOWNS

1—Marcelle, Gypsin Chief, Panther City, Kingsport, Liberty Ace, Miss Laredo.

2—Barney Keen, Flo M., Sue Terry.

4—Unkie Tom.

6—Hasty Peter, Technocracy.

AT FAIR GROUNDS

1—Brown Admiral.

2—Green Wave, The Nile, Stephanus, Seth's Queen, Normahal, Orinthian.

3—Don Vern, Actuarius, Alma S., False Piety, Charming Sir, Halliard

5—Hevay Sugar

7—Lazy Mary, Claude C., Friend Fred, Ladys Way, Sleepy Gal, Broadstep.

8—Declared off.

AT BAY MEADOWS

2—The Peralan.

4—Proprietor.

7—Ramsay Mas.

BROOKMEADE STABLE 'TOPS' IN WINNINGS

By Associated Press

New York, Dec. 12—For the third time in 11 years, the famous Whitney Elton blue and brown capped silks fail to head the list of money-winning owners on the American turf. Supplanted in 1925 by Samuel Riddle, and in 1928 by E. R. McLean, the colors, carried by some of the country's greatest thoroughbreds yielded to the powerful Brookmeade Stable of Mrs. Dodge Sloane, headed by Cavalcade.

With Cavalcade, the leading money-winning horse of the year, earning $111,235, the well-balanced stable, trained by "Whistler" Bob Smith, won first place with $165,614.

WHITNEY BEATS WIDENER

C. V. Whitney, with Equipoise on the sidelines most of the season, but one of the leanest years in the 30-year history of his stable, he won only $168,820 and just managed to beat out J. E. Widener, who with Chance is taking the $100,000 Belmont Futurity and Peace Chance $50,000 Belmont Stakes, posted $160,125.

Mrs. Payne Whitney's Greentree stable was the owner or part owner of more than a hundred winners, earning $111,935. E. R. Bradley, Mis Joan Hay Whitney and Col. E. R. Bradley, whom ranked high in 1933, finished down the list.

Although forced into second place this year, the Elton blue silks have dominated the American turf as no other stable. Founded in 1909 by W. C. Whitney, grandfather of C. V. Whitney, in the early part of the century.

Twelve times they have been at the head of the list. They began in 1910 with eight horses. Henry Payne Whitney as master, in 1924 and ended the three-year reign of Harry F. Sinclair's Rancocas stable.

GREAT YEAR IN '31

The colors passed to C. V. Whitney upon the death of his father in 1930. With top flight horses at high speed, the stable had its greatest year in 1931, winning $422,923 and came back the next year to account for $403,681 with Equipoise as the star. Last year the stable dropped off to $241,194 while this years figures exceed those of three others in its 25 years when the Greentree name was not in the money.

The American record of $438,849 was established in 1923 by Rancocas with Zev sweeping all before him in national and international competition.

B. C. Runners Await New Saucer

Coach Jack Ryder and his courageous squad of 12a...ers, who only barely broke the frigid blasts in their outdoor workouts, are eagerly awaiting the completion of the new ice hockey board track which is now under construction.

Barring the untimely intervention of a snow storm, the new track ought to be finished within a week.

This new oval will give current B. C. opponents a much faster and better surface to train on than earlier heroes enjoyed.

The new rink will have banked corners, which will aid the present crop of trackstars to break some of the old records.

Meanwhile, Captain Jugger Joyce and his mates are conditioning themselves on the cinder track around Alumni Field. The new track will be located on the new field behind the Science Building.

Boxing Results

Chicago—Tony Canzoneri, 130, Tampa Bay, stopped Lew Feldman, 132, Chicago, (8). Eddie Shugart, 150½, Chicago, stopped Sherrill Kennedy, 151, Evergreen, N. D., Rudy Steelsens, 187, Peoria, Ill., outpointed Merle Hall, 190, Minneapolis, (6).

Houston—Ralph Cong, 163, New Orleans, outpointed Turfy Dial, 160, Sioux City, (10). Ernie Schaaf, 190, Milwaukee, K. O. Jack Renaldi, 200, Cincinnati, (1). Ox Bruntzell, 195, Fort Worth, outpointed Tommy Rice, 191, Philadelphia, (10). Leo Kelley, 168, Los Angeles, stopped Emile Martinez, 166½, Denver (5).

SNORKY *High School Pals College Captains*

With the election of Joseph P. O'Brien of Hyde Park as the captain of the 1935 Boston College football team there eliminated one of the most interesting parallel grid careers in local annals.

In 1930, Hyde Park High coached by Jack Leahy had one of the best teams in its history. In addition to owning the district championship it was undefeated and untied.

Several of the lads on the eleven were all-scholastic selections but the most outstanding was Joe the Patrone. These two were the co-captains of the team and the closest of friends off the field.

Joe went to Boston College, and [illegible] to go to [illegible] Harvard, with which [illegible] Leahy was then associated. [illegible] Patrone [illegible] Now the Gold and Maroon lettermen have picked O'Brien to perform as captain.

[illegible] accomplished before he and careers of these two Hyde Park pals will be watched definitely alike. The accomplishment of this step would be of the greatest debut to Coach Joe McKinney as well as the coach of the Virginia cagers.

The last team which Joe and Charlie captained enjoyed a highly successful season, being undefeated and the champions in their district.

The happiest coincidence this could be put on this story will be the repetition of this success in their present captaincies.

FUN AS 'LAWYER' PLANNED BY FRED ALLEN ON AIR

Objections over-ruled, and possibly a few of them actually arose when Fred Allen decided to make merry in the role of an attorney (WEEI) for his "Town Hall Tonight" comedy offering on the air waves this evening between 9 and 10 o'clock.

Regardless the law it is that [illegible] a counselor, [illegible] to speak, when Allen and his broadcast [illegible] get into action. Claiming to have completed an abbreviated course in legal profession in [illegible] Allen threatens to make [illegible] is more easy [illegible] of baseball [illegible] and since our [illegible] engineers will [illegible] what he has [illegible] learned will [illegible] as he goes [illegible] gram [illegible] goes, its "Town Hall Tonight" listeners have little to do but throw themselves on the mercy of Allen's defense or prosecution technique, as the case may be.

Fred Allen

PICKFORD PRESENTATION

Ahead of the Allen attack which appears to have things solidly sewed up these Wednesday nights, so far as 9 o'clock is concerned, the play starring Mary Pickford (WEEI on the strength of the Miss Moonlight" which comes to the ether as an adaptation of the successful stage play that scored so sharply some four years ago.

Gracie, another of the Allen clan, has her network nonsense shaped up in the role of a playwright (WNAC) this evening. George Burns is included of course, as always, only this time with almost total effect according to confidential advance advices. Both are in Hollywood, from whence comes the half hour, although the Bobby Dolan musical doings originate in New York studios.

FAR FLUNG FEATURE

Plans for observing the Xmas holidays, as being made by the Allen staff, promise to give the treatment in the weekly two-way transmission (WNAC) which links Hollywood with the studios in New York and the remote regions of Little America.

Jacques Renard is a merry maestro today, since his smooth dance orchestra group has just been signed up for a new series of broadcasts at the Arena, to open the Xmas week. Network feature is the same. Phil Regan is the tenor. Dick Landers, popular baritone, and soon, the Florence Case ace likewise to take part as the vocal personalities.

Youngsters who enjoy the Sunday Advertiser comics broadcast of Uncle Bob (Ed Young) Houghton will have an opportunity to see him in person, when he appears at the charity program to be staged by the Roslindale Community Council at Roslindale Municipal building Saturday night at 7.30. Uncle Bob will bring with him the talented Foley family of Neponset, singers and dancers, Val Evans, magician, and others with Rinehtz Brothers, will also be featured on the program.

Best Bets Tonight

6:00 P. M.—WEEI—The Evening Tattler, magazine of sense and nonsense, conducted by Vic Whitmore.

7:30 P. M.—WNAC—A quarter-hour program featuring songs by Bede Boo.

8:30 P. M.—WBZ—Don Humbert and his Magic Strings, a musical offering.

9:00 P. M.—WEEI—Town Hall Tonight—Fred Allen, comedien; James Melton, tenor, and Lennie Hayton's Orchestra.

9:30 P. M.—WNAC—"Adventures of Gracie," Gracie Barrie and Edward Davies Jr. in dramatic skit; Bobby Dolan's Orchestra.

10:30 P. M.—WAAB—Melody Masterpieces: Mary Eastman, soprano, Edward Evans, baritone, and Howard Barlow's Concert Orchestra.

12:00 **MIDNIGHT—WMEX**—Amateur night in Harlem; an hour program broadcast direct from a theater in Harlem.

B. C. Freshmen Drill on Pond

Herb Crimlisk, coach of the Boston College freshman hockey team, has had his large squad working out on Chandler pond, located on Lake street near the college.

The frosh will continue to supplement their indoor practice at the Arena with this outdoor practice as long as the weather permits.

In their first test on the Arena ice, the first year men showed very well, taking a 1 to 0 decision from a fast New Prep sextet.

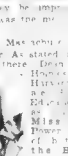
The frosh in all likelihood will engage the '38 teams of B. U., Brown Northeastern, New Hampshire and M. I. T.

This Ear— —That Air

By N. F. T

Yesterday at noon there was a [illegible] meeting and luncheon [illegible] Chamber of Commerce [illegible] The heights Radio prospective [illegible] what the material was worth, suggestions as to [illegible] may be improved and [illegible] was the main [illegible] throughout.

It was a Massachusetts Club [illegible] after As stated a goodly [illegible] was there Dean Harvey [illegible] of the Harvard Graduate School of Education and master, Miss Rhoda Power teacher of the boys for the British Broadcasting Corporation, was guest of honor and the principal speaker. Miss Power found no particular fault with our commercialized manner of catering to youngsters, yet she did most emphatically outline methods of procedure in effect over there. Verily, the contrast was decidedly apparent.



N. F. T.

Not desiring to state that their ideas or program planning for this side [illegible] one what better than ours, it is quite in order to set forth the fact that in England the element of thrills, as in vogue on our shores, does give way to more high minded "mike" inclusion, such as history, animal life, the wonders of nature and subjects calculated to stir the imaginative and better emotions. It was instructive, informative and equally interesting.

Head men of broadcasting[illegible] in Boston were present, namely, John McNamara, the WBZ-WBZA [illegible] Charles Gilman, the [illegible] department of the WEEI sound [illegible] and Roy L. Harlow, the [illegible] of the WNAC studios. Then, of course the ace activity scribes representing our honored press fraternity. We were there, too, and pro and con regarding the character of children's either entertainment or education, [illegible] toward the elimination of evils.

As of week's nuthings might be well summarized by the outstanding granting that listening to radio is not unlike any other contemporary element or influence in the daily scheme of things for girls and boys.

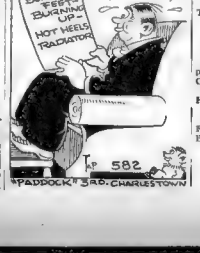
There isn't much else to do but regulate radio indulgence by the kiddos, no matter how many meetings these well meaning grown folks attend.

When the beloved and respected Dad or Mother the master said "No" as red-blooded bowhood impulses appeared to go beyond [illegible] abused boundaries, discipline was exercised in our house. How vivid the recollection!

TODAY'S RADIO TIMETABLE OF PROGRAMS—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 12

1590 K—WEEI—508 M	950 K—WBZ—303 M	1230 K—WNAC—244 M	1410 K—WAAB—213 M	1500 K—WMEX—199.9 M	830 K—WHDH—361 M
12:30 Produce Report	Farm-Home Hour	Microphone Gossip	La Rosa Program	Music Nonsense	....
12:45 Carolina Cabot	Farm-Home Hour	Recordings	La Rosa Program	Music Nonsense	Farm-Garden Chat ....
1:00 Carolina Cabot	Farm-Home Hour	Recordings	Hall's Music	Music Nonsense	Meehan's Music ....
1:15 Peggy's Doctor.....	Farm Home Hour	Radio Gossip Club	Farm Flashes	Music Nonsense	Shut-In Program
1:30 Air Kitchen	Vic and Sade	....	String Ensemble	Happy Jack Smith....	Ferry's Music ....
1:45 Air Kitchen	Pretty Kitty	Cadets, Quartet	The Commentator	Happy Jack Smith	Raymond Vance ....
2:00 Adventure Society .	Junior High Program	French Princess	Breed's Music	Musical Forum	Mr. Symphony ....
2:15 Adventure Society .	Brisbane Testimonial	Helen Trent Romance	Concerts Council	Musical Forum	Mr. Y Symphony
2:30 Unemployment Talk	Cooking School	Air School	Piano Recital	Tony and Accordion	Mr. Y Symphony ....
2:45 Vic and Sade	Cooking School	Air School	....	Monologues	Mr. Y Symphony ....
3:00 Ma Perkins	Household Fund	Kate Smith Hour	Song Recital	Music C'ub' Program	Mr. Y Symphony ....
3:15 Dreams Come True	Rymers Dancers	Kate Smith Hour	Of Anne Ahern	Music Clubs' Program	Mr. Y Symphony ....
3:30 Reading Circle	Susanick's Music	Kate Smith Hour....	Organ Tones	Virginia Rowley, Soprano	Art Lecture .....
3:45 Reading Circle	Susanick's Music	Kate Smith Hour	Organ Reverie	Organ Reverie	Art Lecture .....
4:00 Betty and Bob	Betty and Bob	"Academic Freedom"	One Hour of Music	Organ Reverie	Recordings .....
4:15 Dick Ross, Songs...	Eddie and Ralph	Symphony Music	Hits and Encores	Tea Time Tunes.....	Recordings .....
4:30 Jester's Trio	Civic Orchestra	Symphony Music	Hits and Encores	Organ Reveries	Fishermen a Broadcast
4:45 "Emerald Gems" ...	Civic Orchestra	Symphony Music	Hits and Encores	Organ Reverie	Melodic Parade .....
5:00 Webb's Music	....	Sawdust School	Afternoon Hour	Organ Reverie	Nichols Music .....
5:15 Tom Mix	Charles Little Violin	Yankee Singers	Shoppe	Richard's Music	Meehan's Music ....
5:30 Alice in Orchestralia	The Singing Lady....	Jack Armstrong	Melody Mart	Steve Conch Songs	....
5:45 Stamp Club	Orphan Annie	Treasure Adventures	Path Chapin Songs...	At Piccolo Talk	Teachers Music ....
6:00 "Tattler" Whitman .	Air Adventures	....	Buck Rogers	Children's Program	Rupert's Music ....
6:15 "Tattler" Whitman .	Economy League	Melody Limited	Bobby Benson	Paul Joyce, Songs	Ralph Nylund, Songs
6:30 Deane Moore	Farmers Almanac	Melody Limited	"The Shadow"	....	....
6:45 Billy Batchelor	Lowell Thomas	Whistler and Dog	"The Shadow"	....	....
7:00 Edgar Salen	Amos n Andy	Myrt and Marge	....	Songs of Old	Nichols Music .....
7:15 Dunbar Male Quartet	Plantation Echoes	Just Plain Bill	Father's Music	Angelus Glee Club	Melodic Parade .....
7:30 Alice Dinner Revue	Red Davis	Bede Beal Songs	Wingate Golf Tips	Gypsy Music	....
7:45 Uncle Ezra	Dangerous Paradise	Boake Carter	Alexander's Music	Gay Music	....
8:00 Mary Pickford	Crime Clues.....	Bachelors, Quartet .	Phelps Symphony	Dalsado Hour	....
8:15 Mary Pickford	Crime Clues.....	John C. Hill	Modern Education	Dalsado Hour	....
8:30 J Fox Program	Don Humbert's Music.	Broadway Varieties	Mystery Story	Dalsado Hour	....
8:45 J Fox Program	Frank n Andy	Myrt and Marge	Baker's Hour	Baker's Hour	....
9:00 Ford Alten Hour	Sing Sing Drama	Ring Wallace	Funk's Music	Mrs F D Roosevelt	....
9:15 Ford Alten Hour	Sing Sing Drama	Ring Wallace	Organ Tones	Mrs F D Roosevelt	....
9:30 Fred Allen Hour....	John Charles Thomas	Gracie Allen	Davis Music	Mrs F. D. Roosevelt	....
9:45 Fred Allen Hour	John Charles Thomas	Gracie Allen	....	Mrs F. D. Roosevelt	....
10:00 Lombardo Band	Martha Bolen Band	Red Pinedewest	Steven's Music	Hall's Music	....
10:15 Lombardo Band	Madame Sylvia	Reed Pinedewest	Steven's Music	Kendo's Music	....
10:30 One Man's Family	Tuners Music	Alexander's Music	....	Rivoli's Music	....
10:45 One Man's Family	Tuners Music	Musical Romance	Sunset Serenade	Revere's Music	....
11:00	Federal Housing	....	Sunset Music	Chapel's Music	....
11:15 Voice of Romance	Bess Bonse	Steven's Music	Bernard's Music	Richard's Music	....
11:30 Kassel's Music	Ghost Drama	Nelson's Music	Breed's Music	Davis Music	....
11:45 Kassel's Music	Ghost Drama	Nelson's Music	....	Davis Music	....
12:00 Olsen's Music	Reyes's Music	Renard's Music	Wayne King and his Waltz Time Orchestra	Harlem Amateur Night	....
12:15 Olsen's Music	Reyes's Music	Renard's Music		Harlem Amateur Night	....
12:30 Music	Kemp's Music	Hall's Music	Bayan's Concert Orchestra at 10:30	Harlem Amateur Night	....

TAP'S TIPS



Selected Radio Short Wave Slate

Hrs. P. M.	Location	Meters
1 03-5 30	GBS—London	31.68
1 33-6 00	7SRO—ROME	25.40
2 03-2 15	HJV—Vatican	50.21
2 05-6 00	DJV—Berlin	31.33
2 05-5 00	RV15—Moscow	50.00
4 05-5 00	FYA—Paris	25.66
5 30-7 00	EAQ Madrid	30.43

Tune Slowly for Europe

GOOD BUSINESS IN 1935 SEEN BY O'NEIL

By HUGH E. BRADSHAW

Frankly speaking, William O'Neil president of the General Tire & Rubber Company thinks business will be better in 1935. Not because of what the politicians may do, but possibly in spite of them. One of the principal reasons for the cheerful outlook, seen by Mr. O'Neil is the attention now paid to the problems and difficulties of smaller business enterprises. Size and Ohio industrial ist points . . . is not a sin, but William O'Neil mass manufacturers should ac to it that independent dealers are protected. The . . . stance make certain that mass distributors do not obtain their products at price differentials not permit competition on a basis.

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A survey conducted by the United Business Service of Boston reveals a note of optimism among presidents of United Business corporations. Asked 10 pertinent questions regarding the outlook for 1935 the answers in the majority indicated that 1935 business prospects were better than results in 1934. The majority also expect a rise in commodity prices, the employment of more workers, a better showing by consumer industries than by heavy industries, constructive action on the railroad problem, an expansion of credit and generally higher net earnings. Business optimists are professional optimists, some skeptics might say. But these men did not attain their present high positions by being wrong.

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Shorts: Liquid Carbonic is given a boost in some advisory service letters . . . 25-27 is said to be the buying range . . . Du Pont had one of the better moves on the upside and is now ready for a good shaking out . . . However, we have found it an unreliable actor on the downside and are none too sure that the indicated 85 will be reached . . . In general traders can expect . . . [illegible] issues that registered particularly well on the tape from the September lows.

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The moment the reaction started going in earnest the fair weather friends in Wall Street looked terrified looking for an exit. The bull move was all over and they wanted to turn brokers. She can certainly lay claim to advising others to get clear of the industrials. But we are not going to do anything so foolish as to produce a wide open break. The industrials are entitled to a good correction. As a group we avoided them here when they moved 14 points on the hourly average without a single three-point reaction.

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Notes: Yesterday . . . completed the . . . correction and . . . out to seek profits . . . more than normal . . . industrial rocket . . . to the 96-98 area . . . Another thing we want to caution about is the action of U. S. Steel. . . . All this talk about the . . . ness in the issue is overdrawn . . . Think it over . . . Steel went from 31½ to 39 without a reaction of note . . . It has a right to react close to 35 . . . And possible . . . We add it to our investmental position on a dip into the 34-36 zone.

As far as our broad market policy is concerned there is no change. The rails held do not seem to offer any danger of matching reactions in the industrials while the specialty stocks mentioned here with accompanying price ar.s for buying appear to be worth study but inviting to intermediate traders who refuse to permit temporary lags and slumps to spoil their market program. As we reported yesterday, the market seems destined to work irregularly higher and breathing spells are not to be taken as reversals of trend.

Bar Gold Higher

London, Dec. 12 (AP)—Bar gold advanced 1½ pence to 139s 2d (U. S. equivalent $34.89 on basis of sterling opening at $4.85 5-16.)

Traders Taken Aback By Decline Says Spectator

BY WALL STREET SPECTATOR

Wall street generally had been expecting a reaction, but was quite [illegible] and by the extent which yesterday's setback went.

The way volume picked up toward the close was a contributing factor to the nervousness. Stocks though, have been pretty well on the up and up for nearly 18 months, so that the present decline should not alter the picture if the [illegible] . . .

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It's curious that the heavy selling should come when business is beginning to show something.

The steel production rate is very satisfactory, considering the season; the auto industry is getting going, and rail traffic is picking up noticeably, thanks to the cold wave.

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MARKET STEADY AT CLOSE OF TRADING

New York, Dec. 12—The stock market presented a steadier appearance today as the selling which hit the market at the close yesterday failed to carry over.

United States Steel and other industrial shares were only moderately firm in light trading. American Can moved up fractionally.

RAILS DRIFT

The better traffic figures failed to stimulate the rail shares to any fresh activity so the upside and this group merely drifted listelessly. Union Pacific sold down about a point on a small turnover.

Commonwealth & Southern was the most active spot in the utility shares with one block of 15,600 shares at 1¾, unchanged apparently on the tape. Other power and light shares were quiet and steady.

Building shares continued in supply and the oils were heavy in the face of the news that the New Jersey gasoline price war had been ended.

Motor shares were firm at the start, but failed to carry through. United States Steeling was strong and about 2 points higher in the metal shares.

Farm equipment and mail order shares were easier, while specialties marked time.

URGES CO-OPERATION

The RFC head urged Wall Street to co-operate with recovery activities of the government and to quit fretting over each new activity in Washington.

In regard to the demand in banking quarters for curtailment of government spending, he said:

"If every purported plan by the head of some governmental agency that seems to threaten private business gives us a chill" there could be no recovery and consequently no cessation of government spending.

Regarding railroads, Chairman Jones warned that the government could not definitely shoulder the debts of roads that are not earning their fixed charges.

Wall Street is hopeful, however, that increased business and possibly a revision of rates will bring the carrier system generally back to a profitable basis, leaving but few reorganizations to be accomplished. The Burlington, which is controlled jointly by the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific, ordered a dividend of $1, against $2 two months ago. This lower payment had been anticipated in view of earnings.

Bright Outlook for Package Machine

Package Machinery Co. has declared a quarterly dividend of 50 cents a share on its common stock, payable December 1, on account of 25 cents for preceding quarters during the last year.

Operations showed improvement in business is reported for this quarter, with the company's increased engineering and drafting work beginning to bear fruit in sales and production. The year's business is expected to show a small gain over last year, and prospects for the future are reported better.

Boston Exchange Issues Ruling

Boston Stock Exchange authorities today made the following announcement:

Members are advised that when accepting Buy orders from customers it should be clearly understood at the time whether the transaction is to be a cash or margin one.

Cash transactions, which have a greater time allowance as to payment, may be changed to margin transactions only in exceptional cases.

Bucyrus-Monighan Co.

Bucyrus-Monighan Co. declared a dividend of 90 cents on the Class B stock, payable Jan. 2 to stock of record Dec. 20. Last dividend paid on this issue was 40 cents on Jan. 2, 1934.

Canadian Pacific Receipts

Gross traffic receipts of Canadian Pacific Railway for the first seven-day period in December totaled $2,611,000, against $2,412,000 in the like 1933 period.

Stock Market Timetable

10-11—List showed firming tendencies in the initial hour. Rails and tobaccos moved higher. Trading was moderate. Sales approximated 230,000 shares.

11-12—A steady tone prevailed in second hour dealings. Gains were maintained. Price moves were confined to fractions. Sales were 380,000 shares.

12-1—Metals worked moderately higher in third hour dealings. Rails eased fractionally but held above the lows. Tone was generally irregular. Sales amounted to 550,000 shares.

1-2—Extreme dullness prevailed in the fourth hour. All groups were practically unchanged. Metals held near the tops. Sales were 620,000 shares.

2-3—Trading continued dull in the final hour. Metals and rails and Tobaccos were firm and rails mixed. Closing tone was irregular. Sales were estimated at 810,000 shares.

(a) Optional stock or cash. (b) Partly extra. (c) Extra stock and cash. (d) Extra in stock. (e) Paid in 1933. (f) On account of accumulations. (g) No regular rate. (Semi-annual payment. (h) Payable in stock. (m) Special. (n) Paid this year. (r) With Warrants. (w) Without warrants.

NEW YORK CLOSE

FINAL SALES PRINTED ON TAPE AT 3:05

NET CHANGES

1934 to date 309,130,768
1933 to date 633,465,958
1932 to date 349,753,942

1934 High	1934 Low	Since Jan. 1, 1933 In $		Sales	Open	High	Low	Close	Net Change
			—A—						
11⅞	8½		Adams Express	800	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	+ ⅛
34⅝	14½	5	Adams Mills	100	31	31	31	31	
11⅝	6		Address'graph	100	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	+ ⅛
9⅝	4⅜	.60	Affiliated Pro.	300	6⅝	7⅛	6⅝	7⅛	+ ⅛
113	80⅛	4.50e	Air Reduc	100	110⅝	110⅝	110⅛	110⅛	— ⅜
3⅜	1⅛		Airway Elec.	200	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	
23⅞	16⅛	.75a	Alaska Jun.	500	18⅛	18⅝	18⅛	18⅝	+ ⅛
3	1		Allegheny Cor	300	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	
19⅜	8		Allegh Cr pf.	100	8½	8½	8½	8½	
23⅜	13⅛	.30	Allegheny Sti.	200	18⅛	18⅝	18	18	— ⅛
160⅜	107⅝	b	Allied C&D.	100	133	133¼	133	133¼	+ ¼
23⅜	10⅜		Allis-Chal	400	14⅜	14⅝	14⅜	14⅜	— ⅛
20⅜	11⅞		Alpha P.	100	15⅛	15⅝	15⅛	15¼	+ ⅛
57⅝	27	2	Amerada	100	47¼	47¾	47	47⅜	
48	20	2	Am Ad Fd	5100	44	44	44	44	
25½	11⅞		Am Bank Note	100	14⅜	14⅝	14⅜	14⅜	— ⅛
50½	34½	3	Am Bk N of.	30	47¾	48	47¾	48	— ⅛
48	19½	.80	Am Brake Sh.	300	24¼	24¼	24	24	
117⅛	88		Am Br S pf.	20	117¼	117¼	117¼	117¼	— ¼
107⅜	80		Am Can	1400	107	107¼	106½	106¾	— ¼
160⅜	107⅜	b	Am Can pf.	140	149	149	149	149	
33⅜	12		Am C & F	100	17	17	17	17	
43⅜	22		Am Chain&Ar.	400	31¾	31¾	31¼	31¾	+ ⅛
5	⅞		Am Crystal Su.	100	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	— ⅛
5	1⅜		Am Cys Bu	50	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	
5	⅞		Am En Tub.	100	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	— ⅛
13⅜	4½		Am Fgn P.	2500	4½	4¾	4½	4¾	
48	20	2	Am & F P pf	100	44	44	44	44	
25	10⅛		Am&Fgn P 6 pf.	100	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	+ ⅛
17⅜	6¾		Am&FP 2nfA.	100	6⅞	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞	— ⅛
10⅜	4⅛		Am Hide Sh.	300	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	
36⅜	24⅜	2.40	Am Home Pr.	200	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾	— ⅛
3⅛	2⅛		Am Ice	400	3	3	3	3	
11	4		Am Internat.	800	6⅛	6⅜	6⅛	6⅜	— ⅛
10	2		Am LF&F pf.	20	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛
47⅜	20⅛		Am Locom.	200	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	— ⅛
74⅜	35⅜		Am Loco pf.	100	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾	— ⅛
22⅞	12	1	Am Mach & F	1400	20¾	20⅞	20⅛	20⅞	+ ⅛
32⅛	12⅜		Am Mach pf.	100	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	
32⅛			Am Pwr&L.	400	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛
107⅜	70⅛	1.25†	A P & L 5pfA	200	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	— ⅛
17⅞	10⅛		Am Rad&St S	5700	15¾	15¾	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅛
12⅜	4⅜		Am Roll M.	800	19½	20⅛	19¾	19¾	+ ⅛
30⅜	12		Am Seating	200	15½	15½	15½	15½	
30	15	2	Am Shipbldg.	200	20⅛	20⅝	20⅛	20⅜	
90	53⅛	5	Am Smelt.	1500	35⅜	36¼	35⅜	35⅝	— ⅛
104⅛	57		Am Smelt pf A	200	121	121	121	121	+ ¼
104⅛	57		Am Smelt 2 pf	100	103⅞	104	103⅞	104	
147⅛	106	9	Am Snuff pf.	10	127	127	127	127	+ ⅛
45⅜	35⅜		Am Steel Fdy	1400	41¾	42	41¾	41¾	— ⅛
94½	35⅛	2.50	Am Stores.	100	44⅛	44⅝	44⅛	44⅝	— ⅛
12⅝	4⅜		Am Sugar.	400	64⅜	64⅝	64⅜	64⅝	+ ⅛
125½	100½	5	Am T & T.	1800	100⅜	100⅝	100⅜	100⅝	— ⅛
85½	63⅜	5	Am Tobacco.	300	80	80	79½	79½	— 1
89	63⅜	4	Am Tob B.	100	79⅜	80	79⅜	80	+ ⅛
130⅛	105	6	Am Tob pf.	100	130¾	130¾	130¾	130¾	— ⅛
3⅜	2⅛		Am Type.	100	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	— ⅛
18⅜	7⅜		Am Vis Bd.	10	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	— ⅛
12⅞	7⅛	1	Am W W	400	13⅜	13⅝	13⅜	13⅝	— ⅛
37⅜	14⅜		Am Woolen.	400	17⅜	17⅝	17⅜	17⅝	— ⅛
83⅜	36	1.50e	Am Wool pf.	100	38½	38½	37½	37½	— 1
10	4		Anaconda	3800	10⅛	11⅛	10⅛	10⅝	
13⅜	5⅜	.90	Anchor Cap.	100	18	18½	18	18½	+ ⅛
10⅜	5⅜		Anch Cont.	100	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	
5⅜	2⅜		APW Pa Co.	100	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	
47⅜	21⅛	1.25a	Archer Daniel.	300	36¾	36¾	36	36	— 2
102⅛	64	7	Arm D 7 pcpf	400	102	103	102	103	+ ½
6⅜	2⅜		Armour ill a.	1200	5⅝	5⅝	5⅛	5⅜	— ⅛
9⅞	6	6	Armour ill of a	500	6⅞	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞	
6⅜	2⅜		Arnold Cons.	200	6⅛	6⅛	b	6⅛	+ ⅛
8⅜	2⅜		Assoc Dry G.	100	11⅜	11⅝	11⅛	11⅛	
44⅜	23⅜	1	Assoc G & I pf	700	39⅛	39⅞	39⅛	39⅞	+ ⅛
73⅜	44½	2	Atchison	1400	53⅞	54⅜	53⅜	53⅜	— ⅛
99	53⅜	5	Atchison pf.	100	88	89	89	89	+ ½
54⅜	24⅛		Atl Coast Line	1600	35	35⅜	34	34⅜	— ⅛
35⅛	21⅜	1	Atl Refin.	900	24½	24⅝	24	24⅜	
25⅝	18	2	Atlas Powder	100	42⅛	42⅛	42½	42⅛	— ⅛
57⅜	16⅛		Auburn Auto.	800	24⅜	25¼	24⅜	24⅜	
16⅜	4		Austin Nich.	100	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	— ⅛
18	4⅛		Avia Cor (Del)	8300	5⅛	5⅜	5⅛	5⅜	+ ⅛
			—B—						
18	4⅛		Baldwin Loco	6700	5⅜	5⅜	4¾	5⅛	
34⅛	14⅜		Baldwin Loco p	300	20	20¼	20	20¼	+ ¼
34⅛	12⅜		Balt & Ohio.	1200	14⅛	14⅜	14⅛	14⅛	
9⅜	4		Balt & Ohio pf.	200	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	
12	6.50		Bamberger of.	100	100¼	100¾	100¾	100¾	— ⅛
10	5⅜		Barnsdall A.	200	6¼	6¼	6	6	
45⅜	23	1	Bavuk Cigar.	100	42½	42½	42½	42½	+ ⅛
19⅜	9⅜		Beatrice Cream	1200	17⅛	17⅛	17	17⅛	
76⅜	54	3.50	Beech N Pk.	100	70½	70½	70⅛	70⅛	— ⅜
19⅜	5⅜	1	Beldine Hem.	700	11⅜	11⅝	11⅜	11⅝	— ⅛
12⅞	8¾	7.00	Bendix A R pf.	100	112½	112¾	112¾	112¾	— ⅛
43⅜	9⅜		Bendix Avia.	6700	15⅝	16	15⅜	16	+ ⅛
12⅛	4	1.50	Benef Loan.	2500	16⅜	16⅝	16	16⅜	— ⅛
21⅜	11	1.50	Best Foods.	1500	26¾	26¾	26⅜	26⅜	— ⅛
49⅜	23⅜		Bethlehem Sil.	5500	29½	29⅞	29⅛	29⅜	— ⅛
4⅜	2⅛	1.75	Beth Sti 1 nf.	200	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	+ 1
18	6	1a	Bigelow Sanf.	200	9	9	9	9	
16⅛	6		Blaw Knox.	400	9	9⅜	9	9⅛	
5⅜	3		Bloomingdale.	100	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	+2
34	11⅜		Blum the nf.	28	30	31½	30	31½	+ ⅛
11⅝	6⅜		Boeing Aircraft	1700	10	10⅜	10	10	+ ⅛
43⅜	23⅜	3	Bohn Alum.	1900	37½	38	37½	38	+ ⅛
5	2		Bon Ami.	90	92½	b	92½	b	
32⅜	18	1.60	Borden Co.	2600	24½	24½	23⅞	24⅛	
29⅜	11⅜		Borg Warner.	1900	25⅜	25⅝	25⅛	25⅝	+ ⅛
26⅜	6⅛	1.25b	Briggs Mfg.	8300	25⅜	25⅝	25	25⅜	+ ⅛
7⅞	2⅜	1.10b	Brown&Bl pf A	1800	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	
37⅛	25	2.10b	Bristol Myers.	700	32⅜	32⅝	32⅛	32⅜	+ ⅛
57	47	2	Bkiyn Man Tr.	900	41	41¼	41	41¼	+ ⅛
100⅜	61	5	Bkln Un Gas.	200	50½	50½	50¼	50¼	— ⅜
61	41	3	Brown Shoe.	300	56⅛	56⅝	56⅛	56⅝	+ ⅛
57	47	2	Bucyrus E pf.	10	60	60	60	60	
7⅞	2⅜		Budd Mfg.	600	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	
44	16		Budd Mfg pf.	100	30	30⅜	30	30	— ⅛
3⅜	1		Budd Wheel.	300	3⅜	3⅜	3⅛	3⅛	
11⅝	4⅛		Bullard Co.	500	11⅜	11⅜	11⅛	11⅜	— ⅛
3½	1		Burns Bros B.	50	1½	1½	1½	1½	
19⅜	10⅛	.40d	Burroughs Ad.	2100	15⅛	15⅝	15	15	— ⅛
9⅜	4		Bush Term.	100	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	
15⅝	4⅜		Bush T B of c	10	12½	12½	12½	12½	
6	2		Bush Term db.	100	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	
6	2		Butte Conner.	100	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	
32⅜	13⅜		Byers A M.	1600	18⅜	18⅝	18⅜	18⅝	— ⅛
67⅞	40		Byers A M pf.	10	46	46	46	46	
			—C—						
44⅜	16⅝	1.50	Calif Packing.	500	37¼	37¾	36¾	36¾	— ⅛
3⅜	1⅜		Callahan Zinc.	500	2	2	2	2	— ⅛
6⅜	2⅜		Cal & Hecla.	500	3	3	3	3	
15⅜	5⅜		Cambell Wy.	100	9	9	9	9	
12⅛	1		Canada Dry.	100	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	
18⅛	10⅞		Can Pacific.	1300	11⅝	11¾	11⅜	11⅝	— ⅛
18⅜	10⅛		Case J I.	3400	51⅜	52⅛	51⅛	51⅝	— ⅛
35⅛	15⅛	1.50e	Caterpil Tract	3000	33⅜	34	32⅞	33⅛	— ⅛
44⅛	17⅛		Celanese Corp.	12500	30	31½	30	30⅝	+ ⅛
2⅜	⅞		Celotex Co.	200	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	
22⅜	12⅛		Celotex C pf.	400	17	17	17	17	— 1
32⅜	18⅝	1.50	Cent Aguirre.	600	23⅜	24	23⅜	24	
32⅜	12⅛		Cent Foundry.	1400	17	17⅛	16⅝	16⅝	— ⅜
23⅜	12⅜	1.50a	Cerro de Pasco	2000	41¼	41½	41¼	41½	
7⅜	2⅛		Certain-teed.	100	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	
35⅜	10⅜		Ches & Ohio.	900	29	29	28⅝	28⅝	— ⅛
48⅜	37⅛	2.80	Ches & Ohio.	900	43⅜	44	43⅜	44	+ ⅛
8⅛	1⅜		Chi Gt West.	100	2	2	2	2	
5⅜	1⅜		C M St P & P.	200	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	+ ⅛
13⅜	3⅜		CM St P&P pf.	800	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼	
11⅜	6		Chi & N W.	300	5⅛	5⅛	5	5	— ⅛
28⅛	8⅛		Chi & N W pf.	100	10⅛	10⅛	10	10	— ⅛
9⅜	4⅛		Chi Pneumatic.	400	6	6⅛	6	6⅛	— ⅛
20⅛	8⅛		Chi Pneu tr nf	300	20½	21¼	20½	21¼	+ ⅛
6¼	2		C R I & P.	200	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	— ⅛
6¼	2⅜		C R I & P pf.	300	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛
11⅜	3⅛		Chi Rock Isl.	1100	28	28⅜	27⅝	28	+ ⅛
11⅜	3⅛		Childs.	100	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	
63⅛	26⅛	1	Chrysler.	11500	37⅜	38⅜	37⅜	38⅛	
90⅛	63⅜	6.50	Cities S & F.	1100	87⅜	87⅜	87⅜	87⅜	— ⅛
90½	63⅜	6.50	City Ice & F pf.	20	90	90	90	90	+ ½
2⅛	⅜		City Stores.	100	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	
4⅜	1⅜		City Stores pf.	200	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	3⅛	
5⅜	2		City Stores A.	100	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	
5⅜	2⅛		City Strs A ct.	100	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	
21⅜	6⅛	.80	Clev Cliffs.	100	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	
51⅜	45⅜	3	Cocoa Cola A.	100	85½	85½	85½	85½	— ⅛
5⅜	1⅜		Coca Cola B.	1900	85½	85½	85½	85½	— ⅛
102⅛	66	6	Col Palm P pf	100	101	101	101	101	
28⅛	10		Collins & Alk.	600	13¾	13¾	13⅜	13½	+ ⅛
6⅛	2⅛		Col Pict Cor.	100	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	
6⅛	2⅛		Col F & I.	100	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	— ⅛
30	14⅜		Col & So 2 nf.	60	12	12¼	11⅝	12¼	
19⅛	5⅜		Col Gas.	2600	7⅜	7⅝	7⅜	7⅝	+ ⅛
41⅛	17⅝	1d	Columbia Pict.	400	38¼	38¾	37¾	37¾	— ⅜
77⅛	45	3.40	Col Carbon.	100	72	72	72	72	
50⅝	25	6.50	Com Credit.	4500	37¾	37¾	36⅜	37	+ ⅛
52⅝	32	3	Com Credit A.	100	52½	52½	52½	52½	+ ⅛
30	25	2	Com Cred pf R.	20	30	30	30	30	
65	50	6.50	Com Cred 1 pf.	100	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛	— ⅛
61	25¼	2.50b	Com Inv Tr.	3300	56⅝	57¼	56¼	57	
114	84½	6a	Com Inv Tr v t	100	113	113	113	113	+ ½
36⅜	15⅝	.60	Com Solvents.	3200	21¼	21¾	20⅝	21⅛	+ ⅛
51⅜	35		Com & South.	21000	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	
52⅜	17⅜	6	Com & So pf.	400	31½	32	31⅜	31⅝	+ ⅛
35⅝	16⅛	2b	Consol Nairn.	800	32⅜	33⅛	32⅜	33⅛	+ ⅜
89	30¼		Con Cig Toof.	10	60	60	60	60	
67½	45⅛	6.50	Cons Cigrfwe.	30	68	68	68	68	— ⅛
8⅝	2⅞	.40	Cons Film.	200	4⅛	4⅛	4	4	— ⅛
18⅝	7⅞	.40	Cons Film pf.	100	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅛
			—D—						
34⅛	10⅜		Deere Co.	1000	23½	24	23¾	24	
18⅜	10⅛		Deere Co pf.	100	17⅜	18⅛	17⅜	18⅛	+ ⅜
73⅜	39		Del & Hud.	200	42⅜	43⅜	42¼	42¾	— ⅛
33⅜	14		Del & LW.	300	18⅜	18⅜	18	18	— ⅛
84	55	4	Denver&R G.	100	70	70	70	70	
55⅜	20	1.25b	Devo & R A.	100	52½	53	52½	53	— ⅛
28⅜	10⅜		Diam Match.	100	25⅜	25⅝	25⅛	25⅝	
34⅛	27⅜	1.50	Distill Corp.	100	34	34	34	34	
46⅝	25	2.00	Dome Mines.	100	37	37¼	36½	36¾	— ⅛
23	12⅜	1.20	Dom Stre Lid.	200	13⅜	13⅜	11⅞	11⅞	— ⅛
28⅛	12⅜		Douglas Aircr.	200	25⅜	25⅝	25⅜	25⅝	+ ⅛
80	60		Dresser A.	100	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅛
103⅜	80	2.75a	DuPont de N.	1000	95⅝	96⅜	94⅝	95⅛	— ⅜
107	85	5	Due Pub Ser pf	110	104⅛	104⅜	104⅛	104⅜	
			—E—						
12⅜	3⅛		Eastman Kod.	300	6⅝	6⅝	7	7	+ ⅛
116⅝	65⅜	4.75a	Eastman Kod.	100	112	112	111¼	111⅝	— ⅜
18⅜	10⅛		Elec Auto Li.	300	18⅜	18⅜	17⅝	17⅝	— ⅜
19⅛	6		Ellington Schd.	100	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	
31⅜	11⅜		Elec Auto L.	900	26½	26½	26⅛	26⅛	
110	76	7	Elec & Mus.	30	106½	106½	106½	106½	+ ½
7⅝	3	.15g	Elec & Mus.	700	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	
7½	3		Electric Boat.	100	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	
9⅜	2⅜		Electric P & L.	100	3	3	3	3	
19⅜	6		Elec P & L 2nd.	100	7	7	7	7	
21	6⅝		Elec P & L 7 p.	100	7⅞	7⅞	7⅝	7⅝	— ⅛
52	34	3	Elec Stor Bat.	100	47	47	46¾	46¾	— ⅜
1⅛	⅝		Emerson Radio.	100	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	
63	45	3.00	Endicott John.	100	53⅜	53⅜	53⅜	53⅜	
110	76	7	Erie R R.	500	103⅛	103½	102½	102⅝	— ⅜
25⅛	13⅛	.40	Firestone T R.	100	16⅜	16½	16⅜	16⅜	
86⅞	67⅝	6	First Nat Bos.	300	82	82	81½	81½	— 1⅛
89⅜	47½	2.50	First Nat Stor	300	62	62½	61½	61⅝	
25	12⅜		Florsheim.	300	14⅜	15	14⅜	15	
21⅛	6⅜		Foods Ind Inc.	100	25	25	24⅜	24⅜	— ⅜
17⅛	8⅛		Foster Wh Con.	100	14⅜	14⅜	14	14	— ⅜
17⅛	8⅛		Foundation C.	100	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	— ⅛
5⅜	1⅜	.90	Fox Film A.	300	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	— ⅛
30	13⅛		Fox Fil Corp.	300	13⅛	13⅜	13⅛	13⅜	— ⅛
63	20		Franklin Si nf.	70	40	40	39	39	— 2
24⅜	21½	2	Freeport Tex.	400	23½	24⅛	23½	24⅛	+ ⅜
			—G—						
11⅛	5⅜		Gen Am Inv.	500	7⅛	7¼	7⅛	7¼	+ ⅛
43⅜	25⅞	1.75	Gen Am Trans.	300	36⅛	36¾	36⅛	36⅜	— ⅛
23⅛	12		Gen Asphalt.	100	16⅛	16½	16	16	— ⅛
14⅜	6⅛	.80	Gen Baking.	700	7⅝	8	7⅝	8	+ ⅛
10⅛	5		Gen Bronze.	100	5⅞	6	5⅞	6	
3⅜	2		Gen Cable.	300	3	3	3	3	
57⅜	42⅜	7b	Gen Cig.	200	57	57	57	57	
120	67		Gen Clear pf.	20	120	120	120	120	
25⅛	16⅛	.60	Gen Electric.	7000	19⅝	19⅞	19½	19⅞	— ⅛
12⅜	11⅛	.60	Gen Foods.	500	12⅜	12⅜	12⅛	12⅛	— ⅛
36⅜	28	1.80	Gen Foods.	1000	34½	34½	34⅛	34⅛	— ⅛
100⅜	6		Fed Gov.	300	176½	176½	176½	176½	—
42	22⅜	1.50	Gen Motors.	9000	31⅛	31⅜	31⅛	31⅜	— ⅛
108⅝	84	5	Gen M 5 pf.	100	108¼	108¼	108¼	108¼	+ ¼
21	8⅛		Gen Outdoor Ad.	100	9⅜	9⅜	9⅜	9⅜	
21	8⅛		Gen O A A.	100	9	9	9⅛	9	+ ⅛
5⅝	2⅜		Gen Pub Serv.	500	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛
45⅜	23½	1	Gen Refract.	100	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	— ⅛
23⅜	6⅛		Gen Refract.

COOK-COOS by Ted Cook

REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.

News item says the film colony has taken up synthetic fox hunting. The hounds chase a fox fur which, after they have sniffed it, is dragged across country.

Of course a Hollywood hound would sniff at anything less expensive than chinchilla.

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It might be more to the point to drag one of those scenarios over hill and dale.

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What a cinch for the hounds!

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In fact, there would be no need for hounds. Use mice.

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HEIGHT OF FRANKNESS
(Classified Ad.—Position Wanted.)

MAN — YOUNG, UNRELIABLE, DISHONEST, lazy, doesn't want position but needs one as clerk, chauffeur, laborer, etc. Short hrs. Big pay essential. Box 6333.

Says Genevieve, the kitchen cynic — "Divorce may be a permanent problem; but it's just a temporary solution."

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Triumph of mind over it doesn't matter—

BARRINGTON, N. J.—John Harris was fined $10 here for driving a truck which was minus tail light, springs, brakes, exhaust pipe, hood, headlights, fan belt, flooring, mirror, and had a tomato-can carburetor and only three tires.

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Anyway, politicians with something to prove always prove they don't care how they prove it.

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Q. and A. DEPARTMENT

What would you say of the spirit of the times, dear sympathetic Aunt Bella?

Interested.

Ans.—Too much of it was distilled in the summer of 1934.

A. ("Like a Flash") Bella.

EVERY MAN HIS OWN SWAMI

"Life is too complicated. Fighting frustration, people become too concentrated upon themselves—they see and think of nothing else. That is what is wrong with moderns."—J. Oliver Ives, Psycho-Analyst.

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I wish I never thought of me;
How simple everything would be
If one would never sigh
Concerning I.
When hungry, for example, I brood
Concerning food.
Why not let the Chinese nation
Worry about starvation?
I fret more than I should, I
suppose
Concerning clothes;
Logic tells me that the proper
answer
Is to permit the fanning dancer
(Who receives ample payment)
To worry about raiment;
Likewise, concerning shelter—I
fret
About next month's rent, and yet
Far better it would be for me
To let the landlord see that he
Is the unlucky guy—
Not I.

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Add similes—

Tipsy as a two-hundred-pound woman on bathroom scales.

FAMOUS LAST WORDS

You've got all my sympathy, baby, but my wife's got all my money.

Join X-9ers; Get Your Badge

Become a member of the X-9 Club. Write your name, street number, city or town on plain paper and enclose five cents to pay for the handling of the badge and membership card.

Mail your application to SECRET AGENT X-9, BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN, Postoffice Box 1096.

By return mail you will receive your card and a new, shiny badge.

THIMBLE THEATRE, Starring POPEYE

I THINK I'M BEING TRICKED I'VE GOT A HUNCH THAT MOLLIE AND POPEYE ARE THE SAME PERSON- I'LL FIND OUT RIGHT NOW!
WHERE'S YOUR TWIN BROTHER?
HE'S TAKIN' A NAP IN THE BEDROOM - GO 'ROUND THROUGH THE HALL IF YA WANT TO SEE HIM
I GOT TO MOVE FAST OR I YAM SUNK
EXCUSE ME, MOLLIE, I THOUGHT I WAS BEING TRICKED
AW, THAT'S OKAY
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WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT GUM
The Flavor Lasts
O-346

BRINGING UP FATHER

(Follow Jiggs and Maggie in the Big Comic Section of the Sunday Advertiser)

"Are You Ill?"

MOTHER! WHY ARE YOU SO SAD? YOU'VE BEEN THIS WAY FOR THREE DAYS NOW-
I MISS MY BROTHER SO- I'M WONDERING WHERE HE IS TO-NIGHT- HE IS SUCH A FRAIL LITTLE FELLOW-
GRACIOUS! WHAT IS THAT? IT SOUNDED LIKE FATHER MOANING!
GO SEE WHAT HAPPENED- I DON'T WANT HIM TO SEE ME CRYING- HURRY!
ARE YOU ILL, FATHER?
NO! I'M ALL RIGHT NOW. I JUST DREAMT THAT MAGGIE'S BROTHER WUZ BACK IN TOWN AN' THAT LINK AN' FOBB'S JEWELRY COMPANY WUZ ROBBED-

JOE PALOOKA

The Wrong Man

OH DADDY, IT'S CRIMINAL! JOE WON EASILY ACCORDING TO EVERY WRITER. POOR DARLING. I'LL CABLE HIM IMMEDIATELY.
I SHOULD SAY IT IS. THAT REFEREE OUGHT TO BE HUNG. THE ENTIRE AUDIENCE GOT UP AND BOOED. IMAGINE, STEALING HIS TITLE!
AND WHILE THE WHOLE WORLD READS WITH AMAZEMENT THAT JOE'S TITLE WAS TAKEN FROM HIM- THE REFEREE ARRIVES IN HIS FLAT.
'ULLO TOM. MUST 'AVE BEEN SOME 'GO.' HI SAY- WOT'S THE MATTER? YOU LOOK SICK.
HI DON'T KNOW 'OW HI FOUND ME WY 'OME. FEEL AWFUL FOGGY. GIMME A CUP A TEA 'AN A GLASS 'OF BITTER
WELL, THANK GOODNESS, YOU LOOK BETTER.
GOT A PUNCH IN 'IS 'EAD. HI WAS OUT ON ME FEET. GOR BLIMME, WOT A FIGHT. WHEW! NEVER WAS IN ONE LIKE IT. GREAT, LAD 'IS CHAMP IS.
'E MUS' BE GOOD. THAT PHINEAS SOT! HI GOT A COPY OF 'IS PAPER 'AN HI SAWR IN 'EADLINE THAT 'E WON IT FER GOOD 'OLE BRITTANIA.
WOT? GOOD LOR'! I RAISED TH' WRONG MANS 'AND OOOOOH!
HAM FISHER

POLLY AND HER PALS

(Follow Polly and Her Pals in the Big Comic Section of the Sunday Advertiser)

An Indoor Sport

NOW'S YOUR CHANCE, ELMER. BEAT IT WHILE EVERYONE IS IN ANGEL'S ROOM!
IMPOSSIBLE, PERK. I MUST KNOW MORE ABOUT ANGEL'S ILLNESS FIRST.
DON'T KEEP ME IN THE DARK, DOCTOR. TELL ME THE WORST!
NOTHING TO BE ALARMED ABOUT, MRS. MEEK-- IT'S MERELY THE MEASLES.
OF COURSE I SHALL HAVE TO QUARANTINE THE FAMILY FOR A FEW DAYS.
DEAR ME, DOCTOR, Y'MEAN WE'RE TO BE PRISONERS?
EXACTLY, MRS. PERKINS. I'VE POSTED GUARDS FRONT AND REAR, AND I'M HAVING THE PLACE PROPERLY PLACARDED.
TAP TAP TAP
CLIFF

JIMMY AND THE TIGER

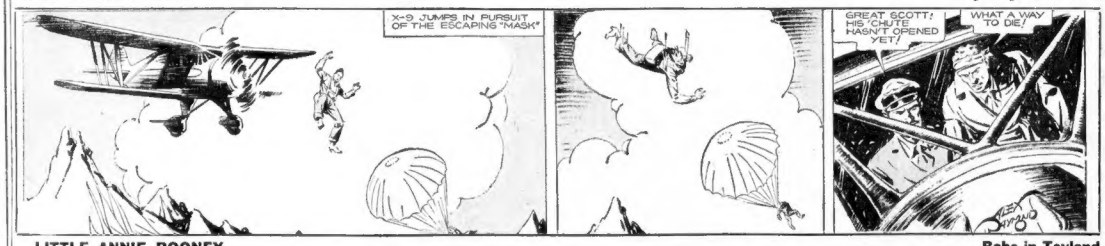
(Follow Jimmy and the Tiger in the Big Comic Section of the Sunday Advertiser)

Headed for Gym

JIMMY'S "CHEERY" ATTITUDE TOWARD THE COMING FIGHT BETWEEN HIS "TEXAS TIGER" AND "BUDDY" BAER BELIES HIS INNER FEELINGS - BUT HE IS TRYING TO KEEP A GRIN ON HIS PAN!
AW, SURE WE'LL WIN! ONE GOOD LEFT ON HIS INTAKE AN' YOU'LL LAY HIM OUT LIKE A RUG!
THAT'S THE WAY TO TALK, JIM - WHETHER YOU MEAN IT OR NOT! THAT'S THE OLD BATTLE-CRY!!
HEY! WHO EVER TOLD YOU GUYS Y'COULD BEAT ANYBODY IN THA BAER FAM'LY?!!
WHA'S THAT - ? SAY THAT AGAIN - !!
C'MON, JIM!
YOU HEARD ME TH' FIRST TIME!
- AN' I'M BETTING THREE TO ONE HE KNOCKS YOUR FIGHTER'S BLOCK OFF! WANT A BET?
A BET- A BET-
I'LL BET A HUNDRED TO ONE I HOPE YOU LOSE-!!

SECRET AGENT X-9

"Rainy Day" Umbrella



LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY

Babe in Toyland

FURNISHED ROOMS CHEAP
BUT, ANNIE-- I CAN'T LET YOU CARRY THAT HEAVY BOX-- A CHILD LIKE YOU--
I'M STRONGER THAN I LOOK-- AN' THE SIDEWALKS ARE KINDA ICY-- AN' YOU MIGHT SLIP AN' BREAK THE MONKEYS
GLORYOSKY, THIS IS A SWELL SPOT-- IT'S ON THE SUNNY SIDE OF THE STREET-- AN' THERE'S LOTSA FOLKS GOIN' BY-- I'LL BETCHA YOU'LL SELL ALL THE MONKEYS YOU GOT TODAY-
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BUT, CHILD, I CANNOT LET YOU DO ALL THE WORK--
'WORK'? HONEST, PLAYA! WITH A CUTE 'OY MONKEY AIN'T WORK-- IT'S JUST A GAME-- PLEASE LET ME PLAY A LITTLE-
GET A CUTE LITTLE MONKEY FOR A DIME-- TEN CENTS-- IT CLIMBS UP AN' SLIDES DOWN-- I'LL MAKE YOU LAUGH LIKE ANYTHING-- ONLY A DIME-- AN' A SWELL BOX FOR THE MONKEY TO SLEEP IN--
DARRELL McCLURE
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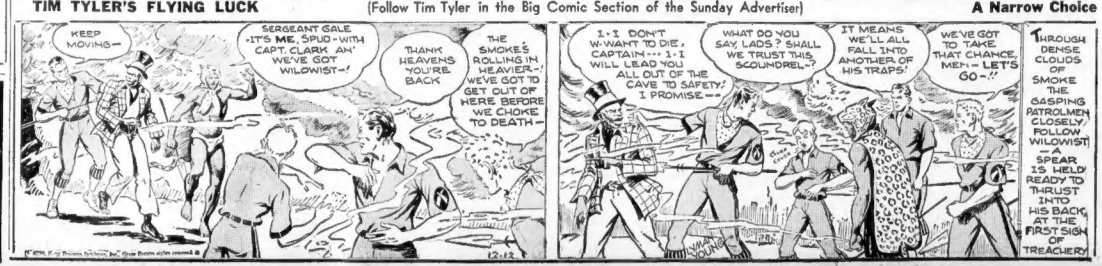
TIM TYLER'S FLYING LUCK

(Follow Tim Tyler in the Big Comic Section of the Sunday Advertiser)

A Narrow Choice


KEEP MOVING-
SERGEANT GALE -IT'S ME, SPUD- WITH CAPT. CLARK AN' WE'VE GOT WILDWIST-!
THANK HEAVENS YOU'RE BACK
THE SMOKE'S ROLLING IN HEAVIER- WE'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF HERE BEFORE WE CHOKE TO DEATH-
I-I DON'T W-WANT TO DIE, CAPTAIN--- I-I WILL LEAD YOU ALL OUT OF THE CAVE TO SAFETY, I PROMISE--
WHAT DO YOU SAY, LADS? SHALL WE TRUST THIS SCOUNDREL-?
IT MEANS WE'LL ALL FALL INTO ANOTHER OF HIS TRAPS!
WE'VE GOT TO TAKE THAT CHANCE, MEN-- LET'S GO-!!
THROUGH DENSE CLOUDS OF SMOKE THE GASPING PATROLMEN CLOSELY FOLLOW WILDWIST! A SPEAR IS HELD READY TO THRUST INTO HIS BACK AT THE FIRST SIGN OF TREACHERY
12-12

COURT AUSONIA TO HOLD PARTY BENEFIT

By BETTY DIFESA

The Court Ausonia Catholic Daughters of America will have a Christmas party on Monday evening, in the Knights of Columbus Hall, 90 Washington street, Boston.

Proceeds of this will go toward baskets given to needy families at Christmas. Miss Angelina Pelosi is chairman.

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An Italian World War Veterans Legion Post has been organized in East Cambridge with Lieutenant Arnaldo Romanini as commander.

At the first meeting of this post, City Councillor Frank J. Roche of Cambridge, who during the war served as captain in American aviation, was the guest speaker.

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Attorney Edmund J. Avallone and Attorney George Cataldo, who make up the Ausonia Council debating team, will compete against the Marlboro Council Friday night in Marlboro for the Knights of Columbus state championship.

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Mr. and Mrs. Michael F. Rotondo, who recently returned from their wedding trip, were extended a surprise reception last Friday evening at their home, 134 Paris street, Boston.

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BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS—On Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1934, about 9:30 a. m., a public hearing will be held in the office of the Board of Appeal, Room 907, City Hall Annex, in reference to the Appeal of Edward L. Perkins, asking to vary the application of the Zoning Law, Chapter 488, Acts of 1924, at premises, 92 Morton st., Ward 18, in the following respect: Section 4) Permit business (storage and sale of furniture and household goods) in an office, greasing pit, etc., necessary or incidental to the conduct and operation of a gasoline filling station) in a residential district, and, by limitation, alteration or modification of use, or method of use as may at said hearing appear as necessary or proper in the premises.

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A Sound Warning

Communism's Peril Noted by Boston College Professor

THE Rev. Jones I. Corrigan, S. J., professor of social ethics at Boston College, sounds a timely warning.

"The atheistic teachings in our colleges and schools," he says, "are doing immense harm to the minds of our young people, while the appearance of Communistic groups even in our high schools shows how far the virus of Communism has already penetrated."

Father Corrigan declares that Europe is aflame at both ends—in Russia and in Spain.

He notes that America is flanked with Communism in Mexico and a "deep-seated movement in Canada."

We will heed the warning with a united front, for surely we do not wish to see duplicated in America the picture presented by Communism in Russia.

There, as William Randolph Hearst this week pointed out editorially:

"It is the same old Russia as under the czars. It is the same old tyranny under a different name."

The Revolution of 1934

Against King Crime

Jack Lait, ace crime reporter, is covering the National Conference on Crime at Washington for the Hearst newspapers.

If you want to know what crime costs YOU, and what must be done to stamp it out, read his dispatches.

As a sample, Mr. Lait says:

"Not a pound of ice or a quart of milk or a loaf of bread or a yard of cloth or a pair of shoes can be delivered before the racketeer has taken his tax.

"Not a brick can be laid, not a tire can be replaced, not a cigarette can be lighted before the racketeer has taken his tax.

"Not a can of ashes can be removed, not a street can be flushed, not a bobbed head can be marcelled, before the racketeer has taken his tax."

Every year the nation pays, for racketeering and other crimes, between TWELVE THOUSAND MILLION AND EIGHTEEN THOUSAND MILLION DOLLARS, AND EVERY FORTY MINUTES SOME AMERICAN PAYS FOR THEM WITH HIS LIFE.

Time something was done about this, you think?

President Roosevelt thinks so, too.

That is why he has called this conference, to map a nation-wide campaign against the crime army, to smash its forces, and to sweep it out.

As an American citizen, you owe it to yourself to keep informed of this war.

It is a new "War of Independence"—a revolt of the law-abiding majority against the criminal minority. It is no less important to the average man than America's revolt against foreign oppression a century and a half ago.

Here's a Fine Idea!

Bring on Periscopes

Here's a fine idea from abroad. When the Duke and Duchess of Kent rode through London in the royal wedding party, an enterprising young man rented periscopes to by-standers behind the front lines.

We could use periscopes in Boston. They would enable us to see the street parades.

They would come in handy, for example, over in "Southy" the 17th of March.

Or when the Marathon runners gasp their way through the finish tape in April.

Bring on your periscopes!

The short fellows can at last get a break!

Saving Army Base

A Necessary Project

Saving the Boston Army Base, long advocated by the Boston American, is finally to be accomplished.

This $896,000 Federal project, at last approved by Public Works Administrator Ickes, differs distinctly from many upon which Uncle Sam is engaged.

In the first place, the Government is saving its own investment. What property owner would hesitate about saving a house from destruction when a new foundation or other repairs became imperative?

In the second place, this project, so far as new money put into it goes, can be made to do a great deal better than pay for itself.

And it will give needed work to hundreds of our citizens.

Faith in America

Grows Stronger Every Day

"You and I must have faith in our government," declared United States Senator Patrick A. McCarran of Nevada, addressing the Clover Club in Boston.

He called for "a faith that this government under God shall not crumble."

This is sound advice for those who need it. But we believe that nearly everyone in this country today realizes he is indeed fortunate to be here.

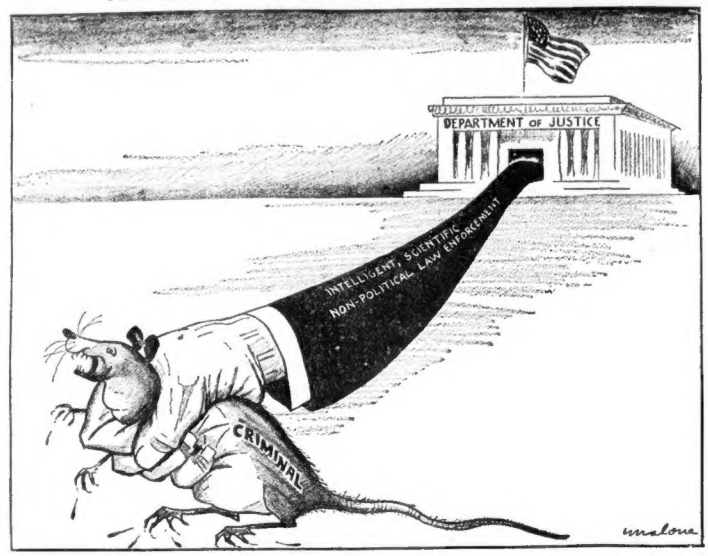
The news from war-menaced nations overseas is NOT inspiring. It does not fill anyone with a desire to get from under the sheltering wings of the good old American Eagle.

Our faith in America grows stronger every day.

Daily Bible Text *"Be ye kind one to another, tender hearted, forgive one another."* —*Ephesians iv, 22.*

By the Rev. Arthur B. Papineau, Grace Church, Vineyard Haven.

A LONG ARM SHOWS THE WAY!



Beginning its sessions with the President's address, the National Crime Conference at Washington brings to the fore a new outlook toward solving the disgraceful American crime problem.

In effect, the Federal Government asserts its right and its obligation to lead the nationwide war that must be waged against crime and corruption.

And what this may mean has been well indicated by the recent activities of the United States Department of Justice.

Operating with limited authority, with a meager force of men and still more meager funds, the department has proved that laws can be enforced and criminals can be brought to justice.

The National Crime Conference is expected to lay down a complete and thorough program for co-ordinated Federal, State and local action.

Public opinion is solidly behind the Federal Government in its laudable endeavor.

And every other unit of government must do its full share!

Stalin's Order to U. S. Communists

"The American Communist Party must be improved and Bolshevised. For that end we must work in order to forge real revolutionary cadres and a real revolutionary leadership of the proletariat, capable of leading the many millions of the American working class toward the revolutionary class struggles."

Stalin, in address May 6, 1929.

Human Side of the News

Old Age Security Views Change

By Edwin C. Hill

THE GLOBE TROTTER OF HEARST METROTONE NEWS

Metchnikoff, the biologist, didn't take much stock in the Biblical story of Methuselah and Noah being nearly one thousand years old. He did say, however, that it was quite possible that Abraham, Isaac and Jacob attained their recorded ages of 175, 190 and 147 years respectively.

In that connection, he said men would live much longer as they learned more about taking care of themselves.

That is already happening. And with this event there comes what appears to be the first joint move, by both public and private agencies, to provide old age security.

CORPORATIONS PLAN

Following quickly on the news that the great General Foods Corporation has evolved a plan of old age retirement incomes, is the announcement of a similar plan being prepared by the Liquid Carbonic Corporation. Both appear against a background of governmental planning and action.

Old age is a lot more worth living now than it used to be, if one is provided for and still has his wits, and no longer will we "die of disappointment," as Buffon puts it.

A grand old pinochle player I know, with a nice little home and a garden, told me his years from 80 to 85 had been the happiest of his life.

Science is ready to make life good to the last drop if that maverick science known as economics can be prodded into doing its part.

HANDED THE HEMLOCK

It has taken many long, bleak centuries for this sense of responsibility for the aged to get a toe-hold in the social heritage. The ancient Greek law of Ceos was that "He who cannot live well at sixty shall not live ill." They handed the sexagenarian a hemlock cup. The Romans used to throw old people off the bridge, Pons Publicus, into the Tiber.

Abandonment of the aged, and occasionally their brutal destruction, appears in the early history of virtually all peoples, including our own Indo-European stock.

The American Indians, especially the Hurons, were particularly cruel in killing old men and women, or leaving them to starve or freeze. So were African savages. In Persia and Armenia, they did accord the unhappy old people a bit of ceremony when they turned them out to die, but little else.

Best of all were the primitive savages of Central Australia. A clan would store food for its aged members and assign hunters to provide for them.

A large number of corporations are setting research staffs to work and weighing their resources for old-age retirement plans.

We see in this, with the government activities at Washington, an inevitable adaptation to technology, with machines displacing men, the falling birth rate, with no large families to care for the aged, the insecurity of investment where some new invention may invalidate bonds held for old age.

The fact is that we are a lot more decent and humane than when we used to turn old people out to die—and that's progress.

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Listen, World!

By Elsie Robinson

LIFE BEGINS . . . ANY DAY!

What a gallant old creature she was, standing there, with the wind squalling and the waves mauling till you thought each heave of the rotten little tug would be its last. Yet, each time it righted, up she came, blinded, choking, with the water streaming from her battered oilcloth, but the grand boy beneath it unshaken.

And why not? What was one storm to her—or a dozen? She'd weathered 50 years of them—about eights, angrier surf than Louis Bayer ever imagined.

Elsie Robinson

Some crueler force than the salt scud which blew over the ancient "Narcissus" had scoured caution into those kindly eyes, changed the slant of that big, laughing mouth—given her the courage to stand there, booming her defiance into the teeth of the gale.

STILL HERSELF

Yet always she'd come through, unbeaten, still HERSELF – still that Leila von Koerber woon the world was to know as Marie Dressler.

You're remembering now, aren't you? Smiling through tears as you do? That immortal pair—"Min and Bill"—Marie Dressler and Wallace Beery—what grand things they did in that play—what grand things they did to your heart! Sent you home feeling you could lick your weight in wild cats. And no wonder. She had!

There's the record of it all now in "My Own Story"—published by Little, Brown & Co.—just as she told it to Mildred Harrington. Such a record! She'd never tell it in life, for fear folks would think she was whimpering.

Every handicap, every hell a human can know. And, capping it all, cruelest of all, those 15 dreadful years when the world forgot her entirely.

Yet always she came out on top. Shelved at 40. Destitute, down to her last cent at 55, with hardly a dozen people who remembered she'd once been a great comedy queen. Yet, at 62, once more the beloved toast of America. How did she do it? She tells in that story.

DONE BY BELIEF

SHE DID IT BY ALWAYS BELIEVING IN HERSELF AND HER RIGHT TO HAPPINESS.

Not just a legal RIGHT—a BIRTH RIGHT. Always she believed that she was MEANT to have a grand time—and give it to others. Poverty? Heartbreak? Years? These were accidents. They had, she felt, nothing to do with the natural scheme of things.

No matter what happened, A WOMAN WASN'T DOWN AND OUT UNTIL SHE THOUGHT SHE WAS. And Marie Dressler never thought she was.

"Life begins at forty? No!"—she cried.

"I, who know, tell you that life can begin at fifty—at sixty. It can begin the day before you die, if on that day you learn something that gives you a fresh vision of beauty or service."

And then there's this, that every discouraged woman over forty should be forced to read—

"It makes me positively ill to see you women who have raised your children settle back and fold your hands in your empty laps. Instead of thinking that the world has ended for you, you should feel that it is beginning . . . Not every middle-aged woman can fill her life with acting or music, but she can fill it with something absorbing and vitalizing if she tries hard enough."

Fill your life with—SOMETHING! If you can't write a best seller—cook the best sponge cake, plant the best tulips, be the best listener, the gayest giver, the greatest human on the block. Believe in yourself. Believe you're a wow. Believe that nothing can lick you. AND NOTHING CAN!

(MY OWN STORY—by Marie Dressler—Little, Brown & Co., publishers.)

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Secret of Happiness

By Winifred Black

The little woman in the plain hat and the not too expensive frock was having the time of her life at the picnic.

Winifred Black

It was a late autumn picnic, and for my part, that's the best kind of picnic in all the world.

You can all have your June, July and August picnics with the mosquitoes and the flies and the midges and everybody drinking themselves sick with cold lemonade or this, that and the other, and chocolate cake and lemon pie and sandwiches and stuffed olives, and all the rest of the picnic trash.

I'll take my picnic in October or November, thank you, and build a nice, neat, little fire of dry sticks between two good big stones and set an old fashioned tin coffee pot on one end of the fire and a frying pan on the other the end, and I'll fry a pan full of bacon crisp—and take a few good strong willow sticks and broil the chops over the fire and spread a tablecloth on the ground and sit down in the bright autumn sunshine that always makes me think of a good friend waving me a gay farewell for a little while —and begin to live.

BLUE JAY PROTESTS

Well, this is the kind of picnic the little woman in the plain hat and the not too expensive frock was enjoying.

The fragrance of the coffee and the delicious smell of the bacon brought all kinds of little wood creatures out.

One bossy blue jay protested vigorously at the invasion of his realm.

And the little woman I speak of, was the first to see the gophers and the chipmunks and the first to throw them a crumb or so, and she knew just exactly what the blue jay was saying.

And she laughed so hard she could scarcely speak, but would she tell us what he said?

Not she. She declared it wouldn't be proper.

And I looked at her, and my heart sang with pride and melted with admiring affection.

For not so very long ago, this little woman had a beautiful home and a devoted husband and two lovely children, and there was money for travel and for entertaining, and everything.

LIVES IN PRESENT

And then suddenly her husband died and the money went wrong, and the little daughter ran away with a stranger and went to live somewhere south of the isthmus, and the boy was drowned and here she is, poor and alone—but does she feel poor?

Not she.

She just lives from one minute to the next without letting herself think of the past or of the future, and she lives on just exactly $40 a month. She makes a budget and keeps within that budget; and she goes to the park and for long walks in the crowded districts, and she reads all the new books that come into the public library, and once in a while she goes without a few luncheons and gives herself a treat at a new picture.

I saw a very rich woman looking at her at the picnic and her eyes were full of contemptuous wonder.

And yet, the rich woman is never well, or never happy, or never even contented.

Happiness or misery—we seem to bring these things into the world with us in our cradles, do we not?

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By Edgar A. Guest

LUCKY DOG

My doctor says to me:
"Since your age is fifty-three,
Very careful with your diet
It becomes you now to be.
You have reached the dangerous stage,
Best described as middle age,
When you ought to pick your dinner
From a neatly printed page.

"You're expanding round the waist
With a trifle too much haste,
Which is due to eating dishes
That are pleasant to the taste.
If it's spicy, if it's sweet,
Once again let me repeat,
You will find it is forbidden
By this neatly printed sheet."

So I'm done with cake and pie,
And to meat I've said goodbye.
Everything my palate craves for
I must now myself deny.
"Lucky dog!" I say to Mark,
"You can eat from dawn to dark
And you haven't any doctor
To command you not to bark.

"Lucky dog, you do not know
What of acids to forego,
For it's only man, I fancy,
Who was born to suffer so!
You're a dog and you can eat
What you find of bread and meat,
And you do not have to bother
With a doctor's diet sheet."

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Stars and Stripes

Great new building in Atlantic City is being built of Maine granite. That's one thing Atlantic City couldn't boast about before.

ANSWER IN SONG

Father—Do you want Santa Claus to stay away this year?
Son—No, no, a thousand times no!

"U. S. Spending Aids Christmas."—Newspaper headline. And Christmas aids U. S. spending. So it's 50-50.

Dr. Dafoe, who ushered the five little Dionnes into the world, like the average country doctor, seems more confused by applause than by duty.

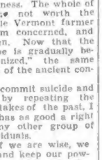
Writer who says reviving old jobs is nation's big need is 100 per cent right. If the unemployed had their old jobs revived, there wouldn't be any unemployed.

Hendrik Van Loon

WRITES ABOUT

Our Knowing Europe

Some eighty years ago somebody wrote an article on "a certain condescension on the part of foreigners towards Americans."



I forget who it was, and it may have been ninety years ago for all I know, but that "certain condescension on the part of foreigners towards Americans" still continues, and it has rarely manifested itself in a more naive form than in the announcement given to the press by the **Hendrik VanLoon** Yugo-Slavian consul in New York about the expulsion of twenty-seven thousand Hungarians from Yugo-Slavia.

NONE OF OUR BUSINESS

Let me state at the outset that I consider the affairs of Yugo-Slavia none of our business. The whole of the Balkans are not worth the bones of a single Vermont farmer as far as I am concerned, and never have been. Now that the whole of Europe is gradually becoming "Balkanized," the same goes for the rest of the ancient continent.

If it wants to commit suicide and destroy itself by repeating the idiocies and mistakes of the past, I suppose that it has as good a right to do so as any other group of nations or individuals.

Meanwhile, if we are wise, we shall sit here and keep our powder dry and benefit by the influx of musicians and artists and scientists who, being less apt to be victims of Europe's affliction of nationalism, feel they have something better to give to the world than murder committed in the name of grammar.

WE KNOW NOW

But to return to our Yugo-Slavian friend of the consulate. Dear friend, gentleman, in his artful way, really believe us to be as simple as he pretends to do?

And does he think that in the year 1934, sixteen years after the obscene propagandistic fraud of the Great War, there still are Americans left to say:

"Why, if the consul says so, it is undoubtedly true, for he speaks for his government; and of course we would never doubt the word of an official spokesman, with all the authority of the state behind him!"

It is true that before the war, when Europe was very far away indeed, we were often woefully misinformed about the true state of affairs over there.

We have learned our lesson, at the expense of thousands of lives that will never come back and billions of dollars worth of property that we had better forget.

EUROPE IN 1935

To assume now that there are certain mysterious details connected with the struggle between the Hungarians and the Yugo-slavians, and that we need the enlightenment of some official mouthpiece in either New York or Washington, speaking with disdainful aloofness about certain erroneous statements that have been foisted upon the American public—that, my friends, ceases to be funny.

It becomes out and out offensive. It is an insult to our common sense and national intelligence.

Europe will undoubtedly continue the uneven tenor of its ways.

The next year will undoubtedly see a repetition of the wholesale massacres, purges, the inhuman forcible migrations of tens of thousands of people, the highfalutin' speeches of seventy-rate leaders and the general hunger and misery which have been the characteristic of the past twelve months.

Being human, we shall think our own thoughts about these things. But we intend to make up our mind about Europe without the kind cooperation of the official European spokesman.

Isn't It So?

An ounce of possession is worth a pound of profession.

A man is not licked because he has lost his shirt. Just look at Ghandi!

When the horse was on the road in former years he had more horse sense than many auto drivers today.

Husbands speak much more boldly behind a newspaper they are trying to read than face to face. Newspapers encourage freedom of speech.